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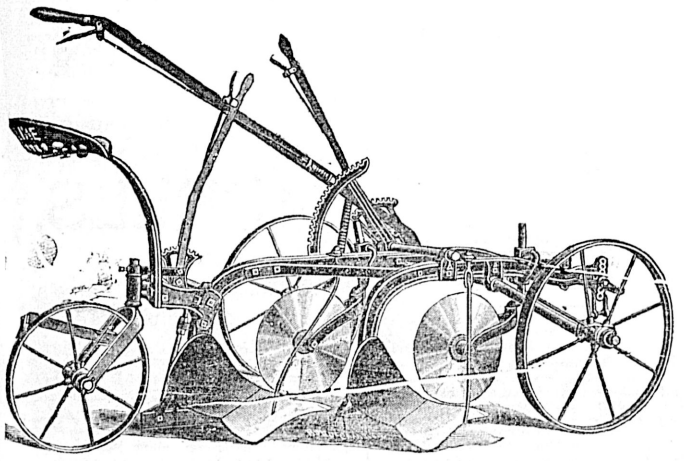
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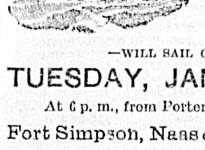
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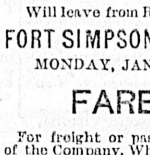
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The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

JAS. GAUDIN,
Agent Marine and Fisheries.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that having sold the business of Thomas Harding, Vancouver bakery, to Messrs. Simmons & Coker, I take this opportunity of thanking my friends and patrons for past favors and ask that the same be extended to the new firm. Persons having claims against are requested to present the same, and all persons indebted to me are requested to pay such indebtedness to W. Bickford, 63 Fort street.

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MONTREAL MATTERS.

Sir John Macdonald Memorial—A Son of Sir Hugh Allan Suffocated.

Winter Carnival in February—Death of Collector of Customs M. P. Ryan.

MONTREAL, Jan. 16.—The Sir John Macdonald Memorial Committee has decided to advertise for designs. Competitors will receive a lithographed sketch and statement of the amount of money at the committee's disposal, leaving everything else to the artist's talent.

During an insignificant fire which occurred between three and four o'clock this morning, Arthur Allan, youngest son of the late Sir Hugh Allan, who had only lately come in for his share of the family estate, was suffocated in his bedroom. There were several other boarders in the house, among whom were C. Sweeney,, of the Bank of Montreal, Vancouver, B. C., and Messrs. Wainright and Haviland, who escaped uninjured.

J. X. Perrault writes to the papers advising the Imperial Government to appoint Lord Mount Stephen Governor-General of Canada.

At 9:30 yesterday morning, while in the act of dressing for church, Mr. M. P. Ryan, collector of customs of this port, sank into a chair, overcome by a feeling of faintness, and died in a few minutes. Mr. R. White, M.P.P. for Cardwell, will probably succeed him. Mr. Ryan was the representative of Montreal Centre in the House of Commons, and had been engaged for many years in the produce business. He was a prominent Irish Roman Catholic.

The Governor-General, Lord Stanley, has consented to extend his patronage to the Carnival of Winter Sports to be held early in February.

Dr. A. B. Laroque, for 17 years medical health officer of this city, died yesterday morning after a long and painful illness.

MILLIONAIRE BURNED TO DEATH.

The Fate of Young Allan to be Thoroughly Investigated.

MONTREAL, Jan. 17.—The remains of young Arthur Allan, the millionaire who was burned to death, early this morning, have been removed to Ravenscrag, where the coroner will hold a searching inquiry. The origin of the fire is still shrouded in mystery. Young Allan left the St. James' Club for his residence only a few yards distant. Shortly afterwards smoke was seen issuing from his apartments. When the firemen entered the house the young man was found dead, sitting upright in an easy chair, having been suffocated by smoke. He had been left an estate by his father valued at upwards of seven millions.

Emissary Missing.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—A dispatch from Tangier states that the courier sent to the fez with the ultimatum of the British Government demanding the arrest and punishment of the men who murdered a British subject, has not yet returned to Tangier. His long absence is causing uneasiness. Negotiations between the British minister and the Sultan are closely shadowed by the French embassary. It is evident that neither France nor Spain intends that England shall gain any advantage in Morocco if diplomacy can prevent it.

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CANADIAN NEWS.

Col. O'Brien on the School Question—Confidence That the Premier Is Not Biassed.

Cold Weather Causes Fatalities in Ontario—Vancouver Asking University Examination.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Whetham College and the University.

TORONTO, Jan. 16.—Charles Whetham, M.A., principal of the Whetham College, Vancouver, B.C., has written to the Senate of Toronto University asking it to hold a first year examination in the Arts course at Vancouver, B.C., three candidates having expressed a desire to write on it at that place. The communication has been referred to the committee on examinations.

L'Islet Election Recount.

QUEBEC, Jan. 16.—It is reported that irregularities have been discovered in one of the polling districts in L'Islet, and that Mr. Dionne will ask for a recount before a judge.

Manitoba's School Question.

PARRY SOUND, Jan. 16.—Col. O'Brien, M.P., addressed a Conservative meeting here on Saturday. Among the questions he referred to was that of Education in Manitoba. He reviewed the action which had so far been taken with reference to this matter, and, while he thought it was not worth while to criticise the course of the Government until its final determination was known, any interference by it as requested by the supporters of separate schools would, in his opinion, be fatal to its existence. Many persons were apprehensive that Sir Sir John Thompson's course in regard to this question would be influenced by his own religious belief, but he had confidence that such would not be the case.

He Got His C. M. G.

HALIFAX, Jan. 16.—English military papers to hand state that the Queen has conferred on Capt. Sir Baldwin Walker, R. N., the Companionship of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, for services rendered as senior naval officer engaged in the protection of the Newfoundland fisheries. Sir Baldwin Walker is the officer who was proceeded against by the Newfoundland lobster men for destroying their property. The suit went against him.

A Kingstonian Dead.

KINGSTON, Jan. 16.—George M. V. Wilkinson, senior member of the grocery firm of Wilkinson & Sons and a native of Kingston is dead, aged 69.

Quebec's River Police.

QUEBEC, Jan. 16.—It is believed the Dominion Government has decided not to engage the river police this Spring, and there is a probability of the harbor commission assuming the responsibility.

Ten Thousand Dollar Fire.

DUTTON, Jan. 16.—Price's general store, Hall's butcher shop and Ferguson's photograph gallery were burned last evening. Loss, $10,000; insurance partial.

Commander Cheyne.

HAMILTON, Jan. 16.—Commander Cheyne, the well-know Arctic explorer, who has lived here for years, is going to Jamaica. He is suffering from bronchial trouble, and has been advised to seek a warmer climate.

Cold Weather in London.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—Saturday night was the coldest of the season. The thermometer was as low as 22 degrees below zero.

Lost in the Snow.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—Wm. Solomon, of Huron township, Bruce county, was frozen to death the other night. He went out to the barn during a snow storm and lost his way while returning to the house.

Funeral Rites Refused.

QUEBEC, Jan. 16.—James Kavanagh, a Champlain street laborer, died suddenly last night through the bursting of a blood vessel while lifting his sick wife into bed. It is reported that because during his life he belonged to a secret order, the Odd Fellows, funeral rites and interment in consecrated ground have been refused by the Roman Catholic church authorities here to his remains.

Frozen So That He Died.

WOODSTOCK, Jan. 16.—The crazy Chinaman who murderously assaulted a fellow-countryman at Guelph, some months ago, was badly frozen while wandering about Oxford county, and died in Ingersoll on Saturday.

A Rough Last Ride.

CHESLEY, Jan. 16.—The horses drawing a hearse containing the remains of Hugh Kidd, of Eldersie, who died suddenly on Friday, became unmanageable during the progress of the funeral procession, and ran away. The hearse was wrecked and the coffin thrown to the ground with such violence that the lid came off and the body rolled out.

CABLE NEWS.

Dying in the Poor House.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Jan. 16.—Arthur Johnson, 73, and a graduate of Yale, is dying in the Kent county poor house. He speaks several languages and has been a professor in two small colleges. In the booming days of Montana he went there and acquired $500,000, but bad mining speculations ruined him.

German Labor Troubles.

BERLIN, Jan. 15.—The Socialists of Magdeburg have proclaimed a boycott against the brewers of that place for forming a union for protection against Socialists who are boycotting single brewers. The quarrel threatens to assume proportions out of size with the questions involved. The striking coal miners at Goldenkirchen this morning caused a dynamite explosion in one of the mines. Fortunately no one was working near the scene, so nobody was killed, though a number of miners working at a considerable distance were thrown violently to the ground. The explosion was of immense force and wrecked the interior of the mine in the neighborhood, causing great damage and resulting in delay while the galleries were being repaired. The number of strikers is decreasing daily. All hope of the success of the strike is gone.

Mme. de Reinach and Her Husband's Estate.

PARIS, Jan. 15.—Mme. Joseph de Reinach, with her husband's approval, has relinquished all claims upon the estate of the late Baron de Reinach. Four hundred holders of bonds and shares in the Panama canal met to-day and passed resolutions in favor of reorganizing the company on a purely commercial basis. Count Keratry was the principal speaker, and his suggestion that an appeal be made to American capitalists in the interest of the enterprise was approved unanimously by the meeting.

Russian Famine.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 15.—Director Kerbedeze, of the Vladikavkase railway, has bought for the Government 72,000,000 pounds of grain, which will be distributed among the starving poor of Toola, Varonesh and Reasan, where tens of thousands are famine-stricken. In Petrozavodsk and Archangel nearly one-third of the population are wandering from place to place, begging and robbing.

Dynamite and Gunpowder.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—A dispatch to the Central News, from St. Paul de Loanda, says; A train crowded with Europeans and natives was halted on the Congo, near Matadi, recently, and the engine was detached to join a wagon loaded with fifty-four boxes of dynamite and eighty-two casks of gunpowder. The engine moved down grade with great speed, and collided with the wagon, exploding the dynamite. Fifty persons were killed, including M. Lequene, head of the Societe Anonyme Belge.

Body in a Coffee Sack.

MOSCOW, Jan. 15.—The body of a woman, cut in 178 pieces, was found in a coffee sack in the street this morning. Nothing has been learned as to the identity of her or her murderers.

Authoress and Actress.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—Frances Anne Kemble (Mrs. Pierce Butler) died to-day. Mrs. Butler was the daughter of Charles Kemble and niece of Mrs. Siddons, and was born in Newman street, London, November 27, 1809. She made her first public appearance October 5, 1829, at Sadlers' Wells, then under the management of her father, in Venice Preserved. She sustained the parts of the Grecian Daughter, Mrs. Beverly, Portia, Isabella, Lady Townley, Calista, Bianca, Beatrice, Constance, Lady Teazle, Queen Catharine, Louise of Savoy in "Francis," Lady Macbeth and Julia in the "Hunchback." These three years, during which she retrieved the fortunes of her family, were marked by a production of "Francis," a tragedy, written by herself at the age of seventeen. In 1832 she visited America and, with her father, met with great success at the United States theatres. She resumed her maiden name and returned to Lennox, Mass., where she lived with the exception of a year spent in Italy, for nearly twenty years. She wrote industriously and besides translations from Schiller and others, she also published "The Star of Seville," 1837, a volume of poems in 1842, and in 1863 "Records of my Girlhood" in three volumes. From 1869 to 1873 she was in Europe. She then returned to America, but subsequently came back to London, where she remained until her death.

Malæ Vitæ Criminals.

ROME, Jan. 16.—The great trial of the Malæ Vitæ Criminal is began to-day in Taranto. The 102 prisoners were brought heavily ironed into the court-room, which was crowded with witnesses. As the Taranto court house is too small to accommodate the witnesses and prisoners, the Church of St. Giovanni will be used during the trial as a criminal court.

Winds and Storms.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—Reports of extreme cold come from all parts of the continent. The harbor at Kiel is completely icebound. All over Germany railway traffic is delayed and in some parts suspended. Between Rome and Geneva, railway communication is maintained only with the greatest difficulty. In Vienna this has been the coldest day of the winter. Few persons ventured out as the dazzling whiteness of the snow was almost unendurable, and a person's nose or ears would freeze during a five minute walk. In the suburbs the thermometer was 7 degrees below zero. In the South of France, several small railway accidents have been caused by the snow drifts. No trains are run on the railways between Castella, Naudary and Narbonne, Chartres and Magni. The train which left Chartres Saturday night, is still imbedded in the snow. High winds prevail along the coast. Many fishing boats have been wrecked.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Manitoba and Northwestern Railway — A Jobbers' Union to be Started—Fire —Fatal Accident.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 16. — (Special)—James Livingstone, who was crushed in the C.P.R. yard on Saturday night, died early this morning. He came here from Montreal.

The annual meeting of the Manitoba and Northwestern Railroad company was called to take place at noon to-day; but owing to the unexpected summoning home of Mr. H. Montague Allan, was adjourned to take place in Montreal. Mr. Allan left by special train for Montreal on hearing of his brother's death by suffocation.

John Ewart, a leading merchant of Medicine Hat, died yesterday in California of consumption.

John Morgan stole a butcher's horse in this city and made off with it to Portage la Prairie. It was re-captured there.

The residence of R. McLennan was destroyed by fire this morning.

Winnipeg is to have a Jobbers' Union on the same basis as similar institutions in other leading mercantile cities.

Whitaker's almanacs at Hibben & Co.'s.

CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES.

Interesting Proceedings Before the French House—All About the Expulsion of Nihilists.

The Panama Scandal Ventilated—Government Laxity—Charges Against Russian Press.

PARIS, Jan. 16.—Immediately after the opening of the Chamber to-day, M. Lahavey, Socialist deputy for the Seine, interpellated the Government as to the expulsion of four Nihilists from France on Jan. 13, at the instance of Baron Morhenheim, Russian ambassador. What had these four men done, he asked, that the right of living in this country should be denied them? He and his colleagues were anxious to learn whether they lived under a secular government or under a government which, while ostensibly free, had allied itself with the institutions of mediaeval despotism.

M. Ribot replied at length to the interpellation. Since the discovery of a Nihilist bomb in Paris in 1889, he said the police had watched with unremitting vigilance all dangerous persons. France would never permit foreigners to intrigue on her soil against other powers. The Government would not hesitate to expel persons who came to the country for the purpose of plotting there the overthrowing of other governments. (Cries of "Oh! Oh!" from the Socialist deputies.)

Antoine Jude, Socialist deputy for the Gironde, moved, amid much confusion, that the discussion of the expulsion be allowed to proceed as vital interests were at stake. If the Government had the right to expel all who disagreed with its opinions in domestic or foreign politics, he said it might as well proclaim a despotism at once. An uproar followed this statement, the Socialists cheering and the rest of the chamber shouting their disapproval.

On the vote, Deputy Jude's motion was lost by 352 to 34.

Lucien Millevoy, Boulangist deputy for the Somme, asked M. Bourgeois when the lobbyist Arton and the German traitor and adventurer Herz would be prosecuted. These men, against whom all the resources of the law ought to have been exhausted, have been permitted to go their way without a hand being raised to stop them. They held the secrets of the Panama corruptions which the Government pretended to be so anxious to probe. They had given and taken the bribes, yet no apparent effort was making to punish them for their crimes or to force from them the evidence they held of the crimes of others.

"I refuse to associate myself with the makers of unsubstantiated charges," answered M. Bourgeois. "On January 7 a warrant had already been issued for M. Arton's arrest. I brought the case of M. Herz before the council of the Legion of Honor. Two subpœnas were issued for him some time ago and to-day they were changed to summonses for him to appear as an accused party."

The last statement by M. Bourgeois was received with prolonged cheers from the Left. M. Millevoye shouted, "Why did you wait so long?" but M. Bourgeois ignored the question.

A committee from the Deputies, who devote themselves to questions of parliamentary procedure, urged M. Ribot to finish the Panama inquiry with all possible speed lest the other business of the Chamber should be delayed.

M. Ribot replied that the magistrate's examination had been almost completed and that the report would be submitted to the chamber shortly. The Government would ignore all questions during the discussion of the estimates. To-morrow he would introduce a bill providing for such an amendment of the press law that persons libelling ambassadors or the sovereigns of these ambassadors could be prosecuted.

In the Parliamentary Commission M. Souveride and M. Tatischeff testified as to the charges of corruption against the Russian Press. M. Souveride, who introduced himself as editor of the Novroe Fremja protested that M. Delahaye's charges as to the receipt of 50,000 francs by that newspaper from the Panama people were unqualified falsehoods. Neither he nor any of his fellow journalists in Russia, as far as he knew, had touched a centime of Panama money. M. Rouvier, ex-minister of finance, and M. Florens, ex-minister of foreign affairs in 1886 88, should be called by the commission to corroborate his statement. They would be able to exonerate the Russian press from the accusations in question.

M. Tatischeff made a similar denial. After giving his testimony he made a short speech to the commission to the effect that the friendship of Russia and France was imperilled by "this rising tide of calumny." Unless the commission would defend Russia against palpable slanders such as had been bandied about recently, the most deplorable results might be expected.

M. Boudard, chief clerk of the Suez Canal company, was questioned at length by the commission as to the payees of the anonymous checks which he drew when handling the Press fund for the Panama company. He pleaded weakness of memory at first, and eventually replied hesitatingly to all interrogatories "I do not know."

President Brisson informed the commission that the report of M. Florry, an expert accountant, concerning the books of the Panama company, would be laid before them shortly, and the commission adjourned until to-morrow.

The Marquis de Castellan has come out with a denial of the report that he was the payee of a Panama check for 1,250,000 francs. There are rumors this evening that proceedings against deputies Coche, Rouvier, Arton and Thevenal, will be stopped and they will be discharged for lack of evidence.

The Figaro's attempt to arouse public feeling against Carnot has fallen flat. Men who vehemently denounced President Carnot are comparatively moderate. It is generally believed that the worst is known regarding Panama, and that no developments adverse to Carnot are possible. The discredit thrown on the Gaulois has aided greatly in relieving Carnot. The staff of that paper were active in endeavoring, before the Panama Commission of the chamber, to connect Carnot's name with the Panama canal corruption, but when cornered declined on alleged professional grounds to give their authority for the statements made.

Ex-Minister of Commerce Jules Roche also says that he will be vindicated from the charge that he shared in the Panama canal bribery. When first accused, Roche made denial in a manner that made a most favorable impression in the chamber. The denial then given has been verified to the satisfaction of Magistrate Franqueville, who finds that the initials "J. R.," made by the late Baron Reinach on the counterfoil of check, do not apply to Roche, who will, therefore, be released from the accusation of complicity in the Panama canal corruption. It has been alleged on the strength of these initials that Roche received 20,000 francs from Reinach. The evidence against others who have been accused is said to be no stronger than that against Roche.

The evidence against ex-Minister of Public Works Baihut continues, according to report, to grow stronger. Baihut, says the Siecle, admitted yesterday that he had received 455,000 francs for supporting the Panama Lottery bill. He has been deserted by nearly all his friends, although his wife adheres to him with pathetic devotion. There seems to be a disposition to lay upon Baihut the chief responsibility for the disgrace and loss to the Republic resulting from the Panama Lottery bill, and the prosecution of the ex-minister is to be vigorously pushed.

There is profound relief in Republican circles over the statement that Charles de Lesseps has implicated Arthur Meyer, editor of the Gaulois, as having received 100,000 francs from the Panama company. This at last brings the Royalists into the dragnet, and shows what the friends of the republic have claimed from the beginning—that Republicans officials and journalists did not have a monopoly of the Panama corruption. The fact that four Boulangist deputies are said to have been put under strong suspicion by the evidence before Franqueville is also considered as strengthening the case of the republic by showing the hypocrisy of those who assail it in the pretended interest of better government.

The Government has also been considerably strengthened by the speech of Chancellor Caprivi on the German army bill. This has in a large degree diverted attention from Panama affairs and aroused deep interest in the foreign affairs of France and the necessity of Frenchmen standing together against enemies abroad. The situation to-day, therefore, is improved, and although the Figaro has published a sensational article, signed by Editor-in-Chief Maynard, urging Carnot, in the interest of the Republic to resign, little is heard of adverse criticism upon the President.

Attention is called to the fact that the Gaulois recently printed a malignant story that Mme. Carnot made gifts to the poor out of the Panama funds. There is not a word of truth in the assertion. Several prefects from the interior attended at the ministry of the interior to-day, in order to receive strict instructions to deal promptly with all attempts by the enemies of the republic. A prominent Republican says: "The great object of the reactionists of all parties is now to disgust Carnot with the exercise of power, and get him to resign before the election of a new chamber of deputies. This chamber just now stands too badly in the eyes of the country for a president elected by it to have great weight in the eyes of the nation."

CAPITAL NOTES.

The Atlantic "Modus Vivendi" to Be Renewed—Government's Position on Canal Tolls.

Departure of Hon. C. H. Tupper For Paris—Expenditure on World's Fair Account.

(From our own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Jan. 16.—Next Saturday's Canada Gazette will contain an Order-in-Council renewing the *modus vivendi* with reference to the Atlantic fisheries for the season of 1893.

Hon. C. H. Tupper leaves for England on Monday next to be present at the opening of the Behring Sea arbitration in Paris on February 23, in the capacity of British agent. The arbitrators will adjourn till May or June, when Sir John Thompson goes over.

In connection with the Government's decision to abolish the system of rebate of canal tolls for this year, which was complained of on the part of the United States as a discrimination in favor of Canadian routes, vessels and merchandise, it is officially announced that the Government by no means admits that the contention of the United States was justified or correct.

Mr. Saunders has sent to the Government his report as World's Fair Commissioner up to the time of his resignation. The expenditure to the end of December was $40,000.

January 31 is the last day for filing cases in the Supreme court; for depositing factums, February 4, and for inscriptions, February 6.

Eight ministers will attend the banquet to Hon. Mr. Ives, at Sherbrooke, to-morrow night.

The mayor to-day appointed a French-Canadian as city auditor, although that element represents only one-fifth of the City Council.

SOLID NIAGARA.

The Greatest Bridge for the Last Twelve Years—A Busy Street with Grand Scenery.

NIAGARA, N.Y., Jan. 16.—The ice bridge across the Niagara river, which formed on January 3rd, is still intact, and the intensely cold weather has strengthened and enlarged it until it has become the greatest bridge since that of 1880, when the Canadian hackmen made a driveway across the river and used it for three months. Since the formation of the giant bridge hundreds of people have viewed it daily from the terraces along the Michigan Central railway. Buildings for the sale of refreshments have been erected on the bridge, and, with its hundreds of passengers to and fro, the summit of the ice dam has become a busy street, traversing the grandest winter scenery in the world.

Something Good.

Fine presents in ladies' companions, scissor cases, gents' razor cases and shaving outfits, all Sheffield goods, at Fox's, 78 Government St.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Kamloops Coal Showing Encouraging Prospects—Golden's Great Expectations For Next Season.

The Missing Joseph Huntley Found in Seattle, and Will Not Explain His Strange Flight.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 16.—H. Eyers, charged with setting fire to the Morse mills, has been further remanded to the 19th.

The local papers give the Vancouver lawyers a severe raking in referring to their decision at the convention, that "to advertise is unprofessional."

Following are the chairmen of committees of the new Council: Finance, Anderson; Board of Works, McCraney; Fire, Water and Light, Franklin; Health, Collins; Market and Police, Towler. The question of allowing reporters to be present at committee meetings was earnestly discussed, but will receive further consideration.

The Hastings mill cut 35,000,000 feet of lumber last year.

The News Advertiser's Seattle special of yesterday says: "Passing along Second street this afternoon I met Joseph Huntley, the Vancouver Health Officer, who disappeared from Vancouver a few weeks ago. I spoke to him and asked him why he left so suddenly. He said that it was a matter concerning himself only. He had no statement to make, except that all the people of Vancouver had been very kind to him. He was sorry that circumstances prevented him making a statement of any kind. He did not expect to return to Vancouver. He did not know or could not say what he intended doing, or where he was going, further than that he was going to Portland to-day or to-morrow. He says that he saw Captain Haggerty, from Vancouver, and had a talk with him the other day. Huntly positively refused to say anything concerning his wife and child in Vancouver, but added that they would be all right. He would neither deny nor affirm the rumor that he had another wife, further than stating that he had no ill-will against anyone. He refused to make any other statement. When told that he owed the people of Vancouver some explanation concerning his mysterious disappearance, he would only say that it will be all right. An inquiry here brings out the fact that Huntly was formerly mixed up with some very questionable debts up in Skagit County. It is also stated that he had a wife in San Diego, California, whom he deserted several years ago. Parties here who profess to know, say that the name of Huntly is an alias and that he was known in California as Theodore Hopkins Huntly refused to answer any questions regarding these stories, but said that the people of Vancouver would know some day all about him. After spending over two hours with Huntly, the above is the substance of what I could get out of him. Huntly left for Portland this afternoon.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 16.—Ice covered the Fraser river this morning at Parson's channel and steamers leaving for up-river ports had to return. The weather continues bright and frosty, the thermometer, however, not indicating more than six degrees of frost at night.

District Grand Master W. Keary and others of the craft, went to Port Haney this afternoon to organize a new lodge, A.O U.W. A new lodge K. of P. will be instituted here next month.

A small fire on the roof of St. Mary's hospital brought out the brigade this morning. No damage.

At the Roman Catholic cathedral yesterday Rev. Father Ouillette gave his congregation a strong dissertation on the subject of mixed marriages, and cautioned them to follow out the strict law of the church on the subject. The church looked with grave disapproval upon them. The reverend father's address has excited considerable comment, owing to the unusually large number of such marriages here.

The new Council for Matsqui municipality was returned by acclamation on Thursday last as follows: Ward 1, Walter Towlan; Ward 2, Wm. J. Marsh; Ward 3, Jas. Baiss; Ward 4, C. B. Sword. There was a contest for the office of reeve, C. J. Sim and Wm. McDonald being candidates. McDonald received a majority of the votes.

The election in Dewdney municipality resulted as follows: For Reeve, D. H. Fawcett, 35; R. G. McKamey, 21, the former being elected over the latter, who was Reeve last year. Councillors for ward 1, R. C. Garner; ward 2, Richard Brett; ward 3, Albert Dion; ward 4, L. S. O. Cote.

Nominations for Reeve and Councillors for Sumas Municipality were held at Upper Sumas Hall last Monday, when the following were elected by acclamation: Reeve, A. Ackerman; Councillors, ward 1, Charles Wellington; ward 2, S. G. Chapman; ward 4, Owen Morrison. For ward 3 two candidates being proposed, an election was necessary, and M. Boley was elected by a small majority over Melvin Fadden.

GOLDEN.

(From the Golden Era.)

The machinery for the North Star mine is now on the way to Fort Steele. Mr. W. C. Slade, of Slade & Wallinger, left on Thursday with a train of several sleighs bearing it. The engineer, Leslie C. Hill, has been instructed to go on with the development as rapidly as possible. It is the desire to produce as much ore as possible during the winter. Considering the extent of the discovery, a few hundred tons will be easily placed on the dump ready for shipment.

Last summer considerable work was done on several claims, enough to prove that gold exists in paying quantities in this section. The "Bobbie Burns" quartz is undoubtedly the best known. Then comes that of the "International," John Henderson; and several claims too numerous to mention. In the spring, when prospecting will be possible, will come the development of the claims already recorded and the discovery of many new ones. Early in 1893 we anticipate such a rush of gold-seekers into this camp as will make our hearts glad.

KAMLOOPS.

(From the Inland Sentinel.)

John Hepburn, manager of the Victoria Mining and Hydraulic Co., is in Ashcroft superintending the shipment of freight to the Forks of Quesnelle.

Stock is reported as doing fairly well in the vicinity of Ashcroft. The weather has been very mild since the first cold snap.

I. B. Nelson, M.P.P. for Cariboo, was a passenger on Tuesday's Clinton stage on his way to Victoria. He reports that next season will be one of great importance to Cariboo.

Donald Fraser writes from Alberta, which he calls the "Garden of Snow," that snow began to fall October 14. The winter is severe, and he does not think there will be any live beeves shipped from Alberta to B. C. next spring.

Eric Friberg, a Swede, was brought to jail last Saturday from Ashcroft, having been committed for 30 days for being drunk and disorderly. He had taken off his clothes and was wandering about in a nearly nude condition, out of his mind. On Thursday he came to his senses, and remembered that there was $315 in the pocket of the trousers he had thrown away near the Thompson river. Jailer Sinclair wired to Ashcroft and learned that the discarded garment had been found and that the money was safe.

Yesterday Mr. James McIntosh, Dr. Furer, Messrs. Lawrence, Blair and McCutcheon, visited the coal mine at Coal Hill. They were taken down the incline and all had a look at the coal, which is improving in thickness and quality as the work goes on. Mr. Gordon, the foreman, an expert miner, is enthusiastic in regard to the value of the mine.

KOOTENAY.

(From the Revelstoke Star.)

The announcement is made that the Lieut.-Governor has accepted the resignation of Francis Ross as a justice of the peace for East Kootenay.

William Mackie will visit Hall's Landing shortly to look over his cattle on Mr. Adair's ranch, and will arrange to ship a large number of cows to the same gentleman early in the spring.

This week Mr. Thomas Reed, of the mill, shot a fine male otter near Mr. Wm. Mackie's ranch, about two miles west of the town. It measured three feet ten inches in length and weighed fifteen pounds. The fur is in excellent condition, possessing that sheeny, glossy appearance peculiar to otters.

George Laforme left about midday on Tuesday for Big Bend, on snowshoes. He carries a heavy pack, including a large supply of literature for the men up there. The distance is over seventy miles, but George expects to do it inside of five days.

On Tuesday evening Col. Forester, of the Lake View hotel, Sicamous, gave a ball and supper in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Horace D. Hume, of Salmon Arm, who have recently returned from their honeymoon.

THE CANADA WESTERN.

Victoria Its Terminus—The Road Will Be Built and Its Land Grant Developed.

[From the Seattle Telegraph.]

Mr. C. W. Higgins, of Chicago, confidential representative of Mr. Frank Bakeman and other Eastern promoters of the British Pacific railway, which is to be the new name of the Canadian Western Central railway, and Lieutenant-Colonel A. J. Kane, who, by the way, is assistant inspector general, and a member of the staff of the National Guard of Washington, and who was one of the original promoters of the railway just mentioned, are at the Rainier.

Mr. Higgins, on being asked as to the progress his company was making, said that it was getting preliminaries into shape and would be able at a very early day to announce its plans fully. Mr. Bakeman would probably reach Seattle by the 25th of the present month and, after a short stay, would go on to Victoria to attend to the matters connected with organization and such legislation as was needed. There was really not very much new to announce just now. He saw by the Telegraph some days ago, that its readers had been told of the deposit of the $100,000 forfeit by the company, so he supposed it was not necessary for him to add that the company meant business.

In reply to a question as to how much there was in the stories circulated in Seattle to the effect that the company intended to make Alberni or some other point on the west coast of Vancouver Island its terminal, Mr. Higgins said that he wanted to give that statement a most emphatic denial. "Our company," he said, "cannot make any other place than Victoria its terminus, and would not if it could. Victoria is a city of wealth and splendid situation. It is ideally located for the terminus of ocean traffic, and we do not propose to attempt to force business out of its natural channel for the purpose of working up townsite booms. We are not coming out here to boom townsites. We propose to build our railway and develop our land grant."

"Then you look upon Victoria as certain to enjoy a fine future?" said the reporter.

"I most certainly do," was the reply. "The immediate benefit to Victoria from the expenditure of the money required in building the road will give that city an impetus which will secure for it a great advance. Then as the terminus of a line of railway opening such a magnificent territory as our road will intersect and tap, not to speak of transcontinental business, Victoria must in a few years rival your own fine city in population and unless you keep growing you will be distanced."

"You like Seattle then?"

"I could hardly fail to do that. It is really a very fine city. My stay on the coast has impressed me with the immense possibilities before all this region. Many fortunes must be made from the development of the great natural resources of the Pacific Northwest on both sides of the boundary. The great trouble is that capitalists in the East have hardly begun to understand what kind of a country you have here. It will be a part of the plans of the British Pacific to make the country widely known."

Mr. Higgins and Colonel Kane will remain here until to-morrow, when they will return to Victoria.

SOCIALISTS IN COUNCIL.

Scandals of Various Kinds Ventilated—A General Amnesty for Political Prisoners Advocated.

PARIS, Jan. 14.—In response to the manifesto issued by the Socialist deputies the Tivoli Vauxhall was packed to the doors, last evening, with Socialists of all shades of opinion, bent on discussing the Panama scandal. The speakers denounced the corruption of the "Bourgeoisie Government" as brought to light by the Panama Canal investigations, and Citizen Guesde was especially violent and extreme in his language. He called attention also to the Guelph scandal in Germany as illustrating the general corruption of politics under the existing form of Government. The meeting unanimously adopted a resolution in favor of a general amnesty to all political prisoners and also approved the declarations of the manifesto under which the meeting had been called.

Whitaker's almanacs at Hibben & Co.'s.

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Advertisements under the heads of Lost, Found, For Sale or To Let and Situations Wanted will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

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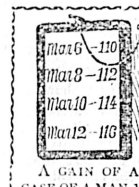
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H. M. YATES, de23-tf Secretary.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership existing between Low Wing Yuen, Low Ho Yuen and Low Wy Yuen, carrying on business under the name of Ting Lee & Bros., as vegetable gardeners, has been dissolved this day.

The store business at 53 Fisguard street, Victoria, will in future be carried on by Low Wing Yuen and Low Ho Yuen under the old firm name of Ting Lee & Bro. The vegetable garden and the business in connection therewith will be carried on by Low Wy Yuen and Ah Kong, under the firm name of Ting Lee.

Dated at Victoria this 13th January, 1893.

LOW HO YUEN.
LOW WY YUEN.
LOW WING YUEN.
ja14-1m AH KONG.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the Sixth Annual Meeting of the British Columbia Fire Insurance Company will be held at the Company's office, 61 Yates street, Victoria, on Thursday, January 19th, 1893, at four p. m., when the annual report of the company will be presented. Members of the company are requested to attend.

December 16th, 1892. WM. DALBY, dec17-1mo Manager.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Charles Gowen, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all claims against the estate of the above named deceased, must be sent in, duly vouched, to me the undersigned, and all debts owing to the said estate must be paid to me before the 6th day of February, A. D., 1893.

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Thunder Hill Mining Company, Ltd.

NOTICE.

The Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of the above Company will be held in the office of the Company, 42 Government street, Victoria, on Tuesday, the 31st January, 1893, at 8 p. m.

The books will be closed for transfer of shares Tuesday, January 24th.

W. H. BAINBRIDGE, December 31, 1892 Secretary, ja6 su tu-thur

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A number of empty Barrels, formerly containing varnish are for sale at "The Colonist" office. se11

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VICTORIA. ap24

French Syndicate Co., Northfield.

Creditors of the above concern are requested to render verified accounts to the undersigned on or before the 10th February, 1893, when the first dividend will be distributed.

M. STROUSS, Trustee, 65 Wharf Street, Victoria, January 5, 1893. ja6-f-su-w

WILFULLY SET ON FIRE.

The Verdict of the Jury in the Case of the Frederick Street Blaze.

A Caution to Fire Insurance Agents —A Plot That Did Not Pan Out.

The inquiry into the circumstances attending the fire at 23 Frederick street, on the night of November 4 last, was resumed yesterday in the Police court, before Magistrate Macrae and a jury. Chief Sheppard conducted the prosecution and again put W. Jones, the owner of the furniture in the house, in the box. The furniture was insured for $750, and Jones got $350 from the insurance company—$270 for damage to furniture, and $80 for the destruction of contents of pantry and bathroom. This award was made on the report of Mr. W. Bickford, who acted as appraiser. The contents of the bathroom and pantry were enumerated by witness to the insurance agent, and a declaration having been made as to their value, $80 was paid to satisfy the loss. The damage to the furniture in the other parts of the house was done by water or some other liquid. There were a number of articles missing from the house after the fire, the witness testified.

"Why did you not notify the police?" asked the Chief.

"Because I did not think they had been stolen," answered witness, "I thought they might have been knocked about, burned or broken."

"Although you were aware that the fire was confined to the bath room and pantry!" suggested Chief Sheppard.

The witness did not attempt to explain, but went on to say that although a quantity of bedding was missing, he never inquired of Mr. Morrison, the previous tenant, about it. When witness went to Mr. Monteith, the insurance agent, he claimed the full amount of insurance—$750. The house itself was also insured for $1,500, and this he claimed from the insurance company, but did not get. The organ was removed from the house before Morrison became tenant, and was sold to Mr. J. H. Pointer for $185 cash. Questioned as to the rental of the house, witness said that he did not consider $15 per month a fair rent for a house insured for $1,500, and the furniture of which was insured for $1,000.

The Magistrate asked how it was that witness on Friday last valued the contents of the pantry and bathroom at $60 and set it down at $80 in his report to Mr. Monteith.

Witness explained that he must have forgotten some of the contents.

A similar question was put as to the house furniture generally. It was valued at $644 by witness on Friday last, and yet he declared that at the time of insurance it was worth $1,000. The answer was that a great many things must have been forgotten. Morrison, who was tenant of the house for three months previous to the fire, valued its contents at $280, and witness did not cross-examine him.

William Thomas Beckford, a cabinet maker, deposed to having appraised the furniture of the house, 23 Frederick street, at the request of Mr. Monteith and Mr. Jones, both of whom agreed to accept his decision. The bathroom and pantry were appraised from a list of contents furnished by Mr. Jones.

Witness described his method of appraisement. He inspected each article and estimated what its value would be before the fire, and the damage done by fire or water. The list thus made out was handed over to Mr. Monteith, totalling $350. Witness saw a list prepared by Mr. Jones which totalled $1,200.

Witness produced his original list of the valuation made by him after the fire.

Chief of the Fire Department, Thomas Deasy, was examined. He said he was the first fireman on the ground, and the one by whom the alarm was turned in. The night was a very stormy one. He broke in the back door, and found the fire to be at the east side of the building, in what he supposed to be the bath room. He then took a lantern and examined the house. Noticing a table in front of a wardrobe in the first bedroom, he pulled it away and discovered a fire in the corner of the wardrobe, with a coal oil tin alongside and some charred paper. There was a small fire smoldering in the dining room at the foot of a bed lounge, and no doubt the building would have been burned were it not that the fire was lighted at the lee side of the house. He made a more minute examination next day with Mr. Monteith, who wanted to know where all the furniture was that had been insured. There were four beds in the house, all of which were saturated with oil, and on the dining room table was a quantity of paper similarly treated. The fire in the bedroom had no connection with the main fire in the pantry. When Mr. Jones came to the house he went to a glass case in the kitchen and said, "The policy ought to be here." It was not found there. Jones was asked to put a watchman on the premises, but he at first declined, stating that it was the duty of the insurance company or the police to do that. However, he subsequently put a man in charge. Where the fire originated was so situated that it could not be seen from the street.

Witness added that he had no doubt whatever on his mind that the fire was incendiary, as it was in different places, and there being so much oil about. Had the fire taken a good hold it might have caused loss of life to men working on the roof so much oil was there about. He believed the incendiary did not wait to light all the fires contemplated. There was no fire hydrant in the vicinity, a fact well known in the neighborhood.

Sergt. Hawton deposed to having inspected the premises the night of the fire. He described their appearance. The beds and bedding were saturated with coal oil, as was also a quantity of paper lying about the different rooms. As soon as the fire was reported witness apprized Jones of the fact, and he said that he had been told so by Dr. Tybus. The doctor and Jones were in the office of the Clarence hotel at the time. Jones immediately went to the scene of the fire, but Tybus did not acrompany him.

This concluded the evidence, and the magistrate briefly summed up. He pointed out that the fire occurred in an unoccupied house, and in an apartment of that house in which there was no fire-place; that fire was also discovered in a wardrobe of a bedroom quite apart from the spot where the blaze originated, and that several articles of furniture were found to have been saturated with coal oil. He also drew attention to the contradictory evidence as to the value of the furniture: Oliver, the insurance canvasser, said it was worth $1,000, but would not go into detail; Jones enumerated the contents of the house, and his values when totalled produced a sum of $644; Morrison, the tenant of the house, valued the contents at $280. It was for the jury to say whether the fire was the result of accident or design.

The jury retired, and after half an hour's consultation returned the following verdict:

"We are of opinion that the house, 23 Frederick street, was wilfully set on fire by some person or persons unknown, and are of the opinion that the insurance agents are to blame, and recommend that they be more particular in effecting fire policies."

Duly Sworn In.

The ceremony of swearing in the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Victoria attracted a few more visitors than usual to the Divisional Court room yesterday morning. The oaths of office were administered by the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Walkem and Mr. Justice Drake being also on the bench. After all had been sworn in, in due form, the Chief Justice handed over to Mayor Beaven the great seal of the Corporation "as a token of the confidence reposed by the people of the city in your ability and integrity." He congratulated the Mayor upon having been re-elected to so honorable a position. His Worship applied suitably thanking his Lordship on behalf of the members of the Council for his felicitous remarks. Mr. W. J. Dowler, City Clerk, and Mr. D. M. Eberts, Q. C., City Barrister, also attended.

B. C. BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

Increased Interest in the Good Work Manifested at the Annual Meeting.

Reports of the President and the Secretary-Treasurer—Officers For 1893.

The members of the British Columbia Benevolent society, whose object is to assist the needy and comfort the distressed wherever they may be found, and regardless of country, creed or color, held their annual meeting yesterday afternoon, evincing by their attendance in larger number than usual the interest they feel in the good work of the association. The same spirit was also shown in the various speeches, which were all in advocacy of greater exertion in relieving the distressed.

President T. J. Barnes was chairman, and among those present in person were Messrs. Dixi H. Ross, Thomas Shotbolt, Capt. J. D. Warren, J. E. Crane, J. C. Devlin, L. Dickenson, A. J. Rowbotham, Henry Short, G. H. Brown, M. Miller, H. Mansell, Steve O'Brien, R. Hall, J. F. Fell, Beaumont Boggs and W. H. Mason.

The report of the president, who himself has been indefatigable in the work of the society, was read and adopted. It is here set forth in full:

"Ladies and gentlemen: We have now arrived at our twenty-first anniversary, and I have the pleasure once more of submitting to you an annual report, viz.: For the year ending the 31st day of December, 1892. It will be seen by the treasurer's statement that the receipts for the year, including $171.35, the proceeds of the Young Ladies' drill and entertainment, given for the benefit of this society in February, amount to $1,023 62; the amount expended for relief during the year has been $1,235 15, and the expenses $170.50, making the total outgoing $1,405.65, the expenditure thus exceeding the receipts by $382.03. The balance remaining, however, is $1,505 03.

"While I regret that the funds should have decreased, the consolation remains to me that we have done everything possible to relieve the cases of poverty and distress that have come under our notice. The subscriptions have not been so numerous or so liberal as they were in previous years, owing no doubt to the temporary depression in commercial circles, and the many calls upon the community for financial aid to the many charitable institutions which exist in our midst.

"It has been a source of much satisfaction to me to find that in many instances during the past year private citizens have aided the society by assisting them with financial aid in special cases necessitating the expenditure of more money than the society could afford to make in any individual case.

"I have also much pleasure in taking this opportunity of thankfully acknowledging the prompt and courteous aid of the Provincial Government and City Corporation in relieving special cases of distress recommended to them by this society.

"In conclusion, I have to sincerely thank the officers and members of this society for their attention and kindly assistance in helping me to carry out the benevolent aims of the society, and also to the various steamboat and railway companies, their agents, officers and employes, for their courtesy in assisting us to forward destitute persons to their friends and homes.

"Wishing you all a prosperous and happy new year, I remain, etc.

(Sd.) T. J. BURNES."

Then followed the secretary-treasurer's reports, accompanying the following abstract of collections and disbursements, which also was approved as read:—

RECEIPTS.

Balance from 1891	$1,887 06
Subscriptions and donations, '92	681 00
From "Young Ladies' Drill"	171 35
Refund from R. P. Rithet & Co., Ltd.	5 00
Corporation of Victoria	100 00
Interest, Savings Bank	28 27
Interest, Green, Worlock & Co	35 00
Total	$2,910 68

EXPENDITURES.

Postage and stationery	$ 5 75
F. Sylvester, audit for 1891	10 00
J. A. Cohen, printing	27 25
"Colonist" office	7 50
Secretary's salary	120 00
Relief account for 1892	1,235 15
Balance	1,505 03
Total	$2,910 68

The society then proceeded to elect officers for the current year, the gentlemen named below being chosen:

President, T. J. Barnes (re-elected).

Vice-President, Dixi H. Ross.

Secretary-Treasurer, W. H. Mason (re-elected).

Committee, Thomas Shotbolt, Capt. J. D. Warren, George Doughty, J. F. Fell, L. Dickenson, J. C. Devlin, H. Mansell, G. H. Brown, Richard Hall, Steve O'Brien and Henry Short.

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2,500 acres, more or less 30 acres; 1,000 acres grazing, 3 houses, barns, Orchard of 350 trees, pigsties, poultry houses, 100 sheep (about), £1 2. 0. per acre, including everything; over 3-5 of purchase money can be left on the property for 4 years at 7 per cent per annum. 135-1

AN IMPROVED ESTATE—480 acres more or less; 250 acres cleared; 250 acres alluvial deposit, with clay subsoil; 80 acres alder, maple, cedar and balsam, vegetable deposit, clay subsoil; 150 acres lever park-like land, some pine woods, etc.; water power Sawmil. in full running order; Houses, Barns, Blacksmith's shop, Poultry Houses, Orchards, etc. 0-3

Corner lot on Tramway line, Victoria West, $1,200. 133-1

98 acres, 30 cropped, 25 chopped, log house, 2 barns, stable and outbuildings, half mile from school, near railway, $3,500. 128-4

House and 2 lots, Pembroke st., easy terms, $1,000. 110-1

324 acres farm land, about 70 acres in clover and timothy, small house, well, good spring, etc., 0-

7-room house, conservatory, out-houses, modern conveniences, etc., ¼ acre of land; facing the sea; beautiful view of Straits and Olympians, $6,000—terms. 137-1

6-room house, bath, etc.; corner lot, Henry and Turner streets, $3,500. 136-4

320 acres, Alberni; 100 cleared; house, barn, ditching, etc. Cheap, $6,500, on terms. 144-3

97 acres, South Saanich; dwelling, barns, stable, out-houses, etc. $4,200. 142-3

40 acres, South Saanich. $1,400. 142-4

Building lot, 60 feet by 132 feet, Chatham street, near Blanchard. $1,650. 141-2

7-Room House and double lot; a bargain. $1,400. 139-1

237 acres, Somenos Lake. 138-5

6-Room House and lot, Spring Ridge.—1,250. 133-3

80 acres, Alberni, 2½ miles from the townsite. $20 per acre. 147-1

80 acres, Alberni, 2½ miles from the townsite. $15 per acre. 147-2

40 acres, Lake District. $10 per acre. 145-1

2 Building Lots, Rithet street, each $1000. 149-1

156 acres, Comox, convenient to steamer, post office, church, school, sawmill, Union Mines, etc., good hunting and fishing, 70 acres cleared and fenced, orchard, well, springs, $9000 with coal right. 150

6-Room House and Lot, 44x120, more or less, on Pandora street, $4,500. 151-2

Large Building lot, 90x112, corner Niagara and South Turner streets. (Offer) 151-4

120 acres Farming Land, Alberni, within 2 miles steamboat landing, about 6 acres cleared and fenced, log cabin, sheep pen and shed, water power from creek, first class fruit ranch, $1,200. 152-1

86 acres first class Farming Land, close to steamboat landing, main road to Nanaimo runs through the property. Good water power, $1,200. 153-1

320 acres Okanagan District, can be ploughed in an unbroken body, foundation of a fine house, large log house, 18x24, and other buildings, 1 mile from Larkin, S. & O., $15 an acre. 155

1 2-Story House, 7 rooms, bathroom and pantry. (Offer)

1 Cottage, 3 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, pantry and closets. (Offer)

1 Cottage, 6 rooms, including kitchen, pantry, etc., $4,500. 156-1

3388 acres, Sheep Ranch, $2.25 per acre. 151-1

533 acres, sheep grazing land, Vesuvius Bay, 50 ewes, long sea frontage. $1,400. 158

107 acres, Ladner's Landing, all fenced and ditched; 70 acres timothy pasture; 7-room frame house, barns, water tank, 1 acre fruit, 3 horses, 7 pedigree Jersey cows, 1 bull, farming implements; a first-class farm. $10,700. 159-1

Lots 23 and 24, Block I, and Lots 5 and 8, Block H, being subdivision of Block VI, and a portion of Block VIII, Viewfield Farm, Esquimalt District. $2,000 or offer. 159-2

410 acres (more or less), Comox District; 100 acres ploughed and fenced, 3-room frame house, barn 50 x 30 and sheds, stable 30 x 22 and shed, 1½ acres orchard, springs and creek through property; reserve coal; valuable farm. $10,500. 162-3

90 acres, Boundary Bay District; 25 acres ploughed, 5 acres cleared, 5-room frame house, barn 32 x 60, chicken house, 1½ acres orchard, bearing trees, well and spring, $3,200. 161 2

132 acres, Alberni. $15 per acre. 161-4

25 acres, Cowichan District, Macpherson station; 7-room house, barn 24 x 24, chicken house 24 x 24, 1 acre close fence, boundaries fenced, ¾ mile from station. $2,500 or offer. 161-5

5-Room House, bath, chicken house and woodshed, Third street, $2,500. 162-2

Lots 1 and 2, Block 17, New Westminster District; Lot 540, Vancouver City. A bargain. For the two lots, $250. 160

TO LET.

1 Room, Government street, office, $7.50 per month.

4-Room House, 3 Edmonton street, $8 per month. 16

7-Room House, Oak Bay avenue, bath, etc., $15 per month. 17

5-Room House, 66 Pembroke street, $10 per month. 18

10-Room House, Garbally Road, hot and cold water, $25 per month. 21

6 Cottages, Spring Ridge, $10 and $12 per month.

6-Room House, 44 Second street, $13 per month. 28

4-Room House, 46 Second street, $10 per month. 29

5-Room House, 181 Pandora street (corner), $16 per month. 33

4-Room House, 295 Johnson street, $7 per month. 1

4-Room House, 226 Cook street, bath, etc., $10 per month. 4

5-Room House, Jackson street, $15 per month. 6

3-Room House, 74 North Park street, $7 per month. 7

7-Room House, 38 Mason street, $10 per month. 9

7-Room House, 6 Humboldt street, $20 per month. 10

7-Room House, 8 Humboldt street, $20 per month. 11

7-Room House, 40 Mason street, $10 per month. 13

5-Room House, Jackson street. $14 per month. 2

4-Room House, Lime Bay. $10 per month. 3

6-Room House, 66 Second street. $19 per month. 5

8-Room House, Simcoe street. $30 per month. 8

Cottage, Fowl Bay. $20 per month. 12

Store and Dwelling, 122 Yates street. $50 per month. 14

5-Room House, 59 North Chatham street. $12 per month. 15

5-Room House, 108 Johnson street. $15 per month. 19

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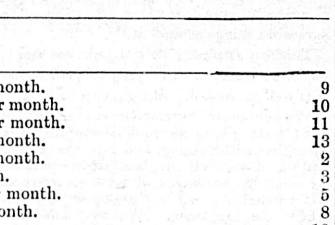
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Victoria, B.C., April 4, 1892 ap5 W. C. WARD, MANAGER.

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NOTICES.

Local Improvement Assessment

Re Grading, Macadamizing & Sidewalking Esquimalt Street, Victoria West.

Notice is hereby given that the Report of the City Engineer and Assessor, which has been adopted by the Council, is open for inspection at the City Assessor's Office, Douglas Street.

Any person objecting to the proposed improvement can sign and present to the Council a petition against same at any time within 15 days of the first publication of this notice.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., Jan. 5th, 1893. ja6-15t

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

The undersigned will be obliged if the holder of Land and Improvements Tax Receipt No. 8819 of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, issued in the name of Mrs. Truran, will bring the same to his office.

CHARLES KENT,
Collector.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 11, 1893. ja12-1mo

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on and after Thursday next, the 24th inst., the scow for the removal of city garbage, and night soil will be at the wharf at the foot of Telegraph street (connecting with Store street between Fisguard and Herald streets), between the hours of 7 a. m. and 7 p. m., for the reception of garbage, refuse, and rubbish; between the hours of 12 midnight and 4 a. m., for the reception of filth, night soil, etc. By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, November 22, 1892. no23

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next Session, for an Act to incorporate a Company for the purpose of constructing and operating a line or lines of Telephone and Cable between the Cities of Victoria, New Westminster, Nanaimo and Vancouver or intervening Points as may be desired, and between such other place or places in or between Vancouver's Island and Queen Charlotte Islands, and such other islands in the Gulf of Georgia as may be desired for establishing stations therefor and for all other powers necessary, usual incidental or conducive to the foregoing purposes or any of them.

C. DUBOIS MASON,
Solicitor for Applicants.
December 6th, 1892. dec14

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia at its next Session, for an Act to incorporate a company for the purpose of erecting and operating at some convenient point within the Province the necessary blast furnaces, steel works, rolling mills, plant and machinery for extracting iron from the ores thereof, and for manufacturing the same into steel and iron of all descriptions, and for utilizing the product of said works in the building of iron or steel ships, steamers, and other sea craft, and all description of machinery, and of all iron or steel manufactured articles; to hold land, own, operate, and work coal mines, iron mines, copper mines, nickel mines, timber limits, timber leases, charcoal ovens, coke ovens, and to build, own, and operate steamers, sailing vessels, barges, railways, wharves, etc., in connection with said works or otherwise, and generally to possess and exercise all such other powers as are necessary or incidental to the said purposes or any of them. And to provide a guarantee by the Province of 5 per cent. per annum for 20 years on $1,000,000 of the capital stock of said company, and for freedom from Government and Municipal taxation for a like period.

Dated the 11th day of November, 1892.

BODWELL & IRVING,
Solicitors for applicants.
no30-2m

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act to incorporate a Company for the purpose of constructing, equipping, operating and maintaining Water Works at the Town of Alberni, Vancouver Island, in the said Province, with power to take and convey water from Sproat Lake, Central Lake, Somass and Stamp Rivers, and other lakes and streams within a radius of 20 miles from the centre of the said Town, and to build flumes and aqueducts, dig ditches, lay pipes, erect dams, acquire lands, and do all such things as may be necessary for the purposes aforesaid.

18th November, 1892.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Solicitors for the Promoters.
no19-2m

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the Creditors Trust Deeds Act, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that Murdoch Allan Morrison, of the city of Victoria, carpenter and builder, has assigned all his real and personal property to James Lemuel Arthur, of 152 Yates street, in the said city of Victoria, in trust for the purpose of paying and satisfying proportionately and without preference or priority the creditors of the said Murdoch Allan Morrison.

The said deed was executed by the said assignor and trustee on the 13th day of December, A. D., 1892, and the assignee has undertaken the trusts created by the said deed. All persons having claims against the said Murdoch Allan Morrison must forward and deliver full particulars of claim, duly verified, to the assignee at Victoria on or before the 13th day of February, A. D., 1893. All persons indebted to the said Murdoch Allan Morrison are required to pay the amount due by them to the said assignee forthwith. After the said 13th day of February, A. D., 1893, the trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice. A meeting of the creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned on Thursday, the fifth day of January, 1893, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

ALAN S. DUMBLETON,
51 Langley street, Victoria,
Solicitor for the Assignee.
Dated this 15th day of December, 1892.
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NOTICE.

During my temporary absence in England, any communications may be left with, and my address obtained from Messrs. Lowenberg, Harris & Co., Government street.

J. GERHARD TIARKS,
Architect.
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NOTICE.

In city pound, one sorrel horse, white star on face, white streak on nose, brand Y on right hip, will be sold at the city pound by auction, January 25, Wednesday, 12 o'clock noon, if not redeemed and pound charges paid on or before that date.

ANDREW SHAW,
Pound Keeper.
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It is this state of things that reconciles us to such scenes as the executions at Nanaimo yesterday. It is a dreadful thing to take life even under the sanction of law, but it is a much more dreadful thing to live in a community in which men have no regard for law and in which ruffians know that, no matter what outrage they commit, there are many chances, even if they are caught red-handed, of escaping the punishment they have incurred. It is better that a few reckless men should suffer the death penalty than that the lives of law-abiding citizens should be continually in danger from the vengeance or the cupidity of men who neither fear God nor regard man. Almost every American newspaper that we read shows us the fearful consequences that follow a lax administration of justice. When those entrusted with the enforcement of the law are either too cowardly or too corrupt faithfully to do their duty, lawlessness is sure to increase, and crimes will be committed which make one blush for his kind. The gallows is a horrible instrument of justice, but he is a rash man who will undertake to say that in the world's present stage of civilization it is unnecessary.

POPULIST BOSH.

The following extract from the inaugural address of Mr. Lewellyn, Governor of Kansas, who was elected by the Populist party, shows what are the principles and aims of that party:

"The survival of the fittest" is the government of brutes and reptiles, and such philosophy must give place to a government which recognizes human brotherhood and protects the rights of the laborer and the producer. Sectional animosity must be forgotten. The state is greater than any party. But the citizen is greater than the state, while the family the citizen produces is the priceless jewel of our civilization. The problem was now to make it possible for the citizen to live by his own labor. If the Government failed of these two things it ceased to be of advantage to the citizen. He was absolved at once from his allegiance and was no longer held by civil compact. But the Government is not a failure. This is a generation which has come to the rescue. Conscience is in the saddle, and the grandeur of civilization shall be emphasized by the dawn of a new era in which the people shall reign, when the withered hand of want shall be no more outstretched for charity, and when liberty, equality and justice shall have a permanent abiding-place in this Republic.

This, if it were uttered in a country school house by some incipient statesman, would be listened to with an indulgent smile by men who knew something of the world and the way in which its business is done; but coming from a man who has work to do and responsibilities to bear, it must be looked upon as pure and unadulterated buncombe. If the Governor of Kansas said in plain English that it would be the object of his Government to take hold of the unfit and put them on a level in every respect with the fit, he would be laughed at by everyone who is not a born fool. It is not the function of government, and it will never be its function, to give the lazy and the inept what they either cannot or will not learn. Its business is to let every man hoe his own row as well as he can and not to permit anyone, on any pretence whatever, to interfere with him unlawfully. If he cannot or will not hoe it, he must abide by the consequences. No Government in the world can give strength to the weak and brains to the brainless. There will be inequalities of attainment and acquirement as long as men are created unequal, and the fittest will survive or rise superior to the unfit in spite of all that the political quacks can say or do. This generation can do very little more for the "withered hand of want" than previous generations have done, and this Mr. Lewellyn and his party will find when they stop talking and engage in the actual work of managing the affairs of the State of Kansas.

SOCIETY'S CENSOR.

The Fortnightly Review for December contains an article on "The Sins of Society" by Ouida, which has attracted a good deal of attention on both sides of the Atlantic. As every one who has read any of her books can easily see Ouida is not a very rigid moralist in the ordinary sense of the term. And the article in the Fortnightly shows that this estimate of the lady is the true one, for the sins she inveighs against are not so much sins against morals, properly so-called, as sins against what she regards as good taste. With regard to what is generally and properly called wickedness the great sin with her is being found out. She says that "society cannot be an accurate judge of morality," but she evidently considers that it ought to be a judge of what is beautiful and graceful and fitting, and what is not. Her accusation against society is that it is not really refined, that it has no true love of beauty and elegance, but that, on the contrary, it is coarse, vulgar and ostentatious in its works and ways. She says, apropos of the eating and drinking habits of society: "It is not for its luxury for a moment that I would rebuke the modern world, but it is its ugly habits, its ugly clothes, its ugly hurry-skurry, whereby it is grossly disfigured, and through which it scarcely ever perceives or enjoys the agreeable things around it."

This is a sweeping accusation, but she is not at all backward in trying to prove that it is well grounded. She goes on to say:

We deliberately surrender the luxury of good cooking because we must stupidly mix up eating with talking, and lose the subtle and fine flavors of our best dishes because we consider ourselves obliged to converse with somebody on our right or our left whilst we eat them. We neutralize the exquisite odor of our finest flowers by the scent of wines and smoking dishes. We spoil our masterpieces of art by putting them together pell-mell in our rooms smothered under a discordant mingling of different objects and various styles. We allow nicotine to poison the breath of our men and women. We desire a crowd on our stairs and a crush in our rooms as evidence of our popularity and our distinction. We cannot support eight days of the country without a saturnalia of slaughter. We are so tormented with the desire to pack forty-eight hours into twenty-four that we gobble up our time breathlessly without tasting its flavor as a greedy schoolboy gobbles up stolen pears without peeling them. Of the true delights of conversation, leisure, thought, art, and solitude, society *en masse* has hardly more idea than a flock of geese has of Greek.

This is hard on society. If what Ouida says of it is true, the world's hard workers who live plainly and whose periods of pleasure are rare need not envy those fortunate men and women who have nothing in the world to do but to enjoy themselves. It seems that even in refined Europe those who compose the *beau monde* have not yet learned to do this. They are not happy unless they are in the midst of excitement and continually in a crowd. "The great malady of the age," Ouida says, "is the absolute inability to support solitude or to endure silence."

The usages and the amusements of the gay world are alike distasteful to its censor. She despises its entertainments; she inveighs against visiting and inviting, which she says ruins ninety-nine out of a hundred households; she contemns shooting tame animals, and denounces drinking and gambling, which she declares is all-pervading. "Drink and gambling," she says, "(in varied forms it is true, but in essence always the same,) are the staple delights of modern life, whether in the rude western shanty of the navvy, the miner and the digger, or in the luxurious card rooms of the clubs and the country houses of the older world." Concerts and lectures she cannot abide, and the dress suit of a gentleman is her utter detestation; shaking hands—in society—she abominates and she regards both weddings and funerals as senseless and vulgar pageants. This is what this female Vandal has to say about them: "Of all spectacles which society flocks to see it may certainly be said that the funeral and the wedding are the most intolerably coarse and clumsy. There is indeed a curious and comical likeness between these two. Both take place in a crowd; both are the cause for extortion and expenditure; both are attended unwillingly and saluted with false formulæ of compliment; both are 'seen out' and 'got through' with sighs of relief from the spectators; and both are celebrated with the sacrifice of many myriads of flowers crucified in artificial shapes in their honor."

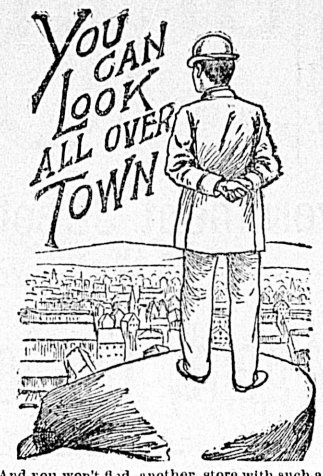
Society, as Ouida paints it, is not at all attractive even from an æsthetic point of view. But she does not think that those who have made it their mission to renovate society from top to bottom will improve it in the least. The influences of socialism are not refining, and if ever the levellers get their way there will be less real refinement in society than there is now. "The whole tendency of socialism," she says, "from its first tentatives in the present trades' unions, is to iron down humanity into one dreary level, tedious and featureless as the desert. It is not to its doctrines that we are to look for any increase of wit, of grace and of charm. Its triumph would be the reign of universal ugliness, sameness and commonness." So that Ouida is an aristocrat after all; and, we suspect, a Sybarite as well.

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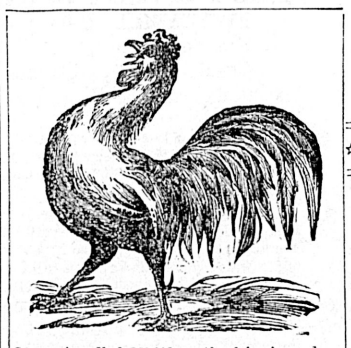
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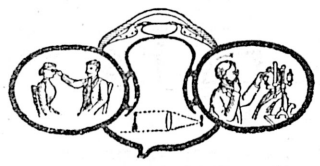
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KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS
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THE CITY.

The Eight Hour Question.

The St. Andrew's Church Literary Society will resume their debate on the eight hour question at 8 o'clock this evening.

On the Bulletin.

To Ald. Miller falls the honor of posting the first notice of motion of the year. It is in the direction of ward redistribution.

The New School Board.

The Board of School Trustees for Victoria City will hold their first meeting since election at the City Hall, to-morrow evening.

Settled Out of Court.

The action of Fox v. Stevenson, which was to have come up in the Supreme court yesterday for trial, has been settled out of court.

As Well Put Them on the Street.

With the new arrangement of the City Council chamber there has also been a new arrangement of the tables for the press representatives, which are now placed outside the railing.

Died at St. Joseph's.

Miss Harriet A. De Witt, a native of the Province of Quebec and a resident of this city for some time past, died at St. Joseph's hospital yesterday, in her 54th year. The funeral takes place to-morrow.

Sons of Erin.

The adjourned meeting of the Sons of Erin will be held in Pioneer Hall to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock, and a large attendance is expected as arrangements will be made for the celebration of St. Patrick s Day.

Y.M.C.A. Gymnasium.

There will be an exhibition at the Y.M. C.A. gymnasium on Friday evening, which ought to be very liberally patronized. The members of the class have attained to great proficiency, so that a capital exhibition may be relied upon.

An Amputation.

For the last few years Charles Coates, who resides on Tolmie avenue, has been a great sufferer from disease of the leg. He decided to have it removed, and yesterday Dr. Sproule, assisted by Dr. Watt, amputated the diseased thigh. Under the circumstances the patient is doing well.

Another Fire Inquest.

Another fire inquest will open at 2 o'clock to-day in the Police court to take evidence as to the circumstances attending the fire at the Gorge road some nights ago, when investigation showed that a deliberate attempt had been made to destroy the premises, which were fired in sixteen distinct places.

Overcrowded Chinatown.

Lu Tie, a Fisgard street laundryman, and Ah Sing, also engaged in the same business and in the same locality, were yesterday before Magistrate Macrae at the police court on a charge of overcrowding their premises. The offence was clearly proven, and a fine of $10 and $2.50 costs imposed in both cases.

Land Surveyors Meet.

The annual general meeting of the Provincial Land Surveyors Association will take place to-morrow, the 18th inst., at 3 p. m. sharp, in the City Hall. Steps to complete the incorporation of the Association, the election of officers and other business of unusual importance will be transacted.

To His Last Resting Place.

The funeral of the late Hugh Brownlie, whose illness terminated in death on Saturday, took place from his uncle's residence, No. 6 Erie street, yesterday afternoon, a large number of friends being in attendance. The deceased, who was a native of Wishaw, Scotland, was at the time of his death secretary of the Marine Engineers' Association. He was 19 years of age, and during his stay in Victoria had made many friends.

The Verdict Sustained.

Judgment was delivered in the Full court and Divisional court yesterday morning, in the case of Harper v. Cameron, in which two appeals had been made, the matter coming before the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Drake and Mr. Justice Walkem. The decision of the Court was unanimous, the verdict of the jury being sustained and the motion for a new trial refused. The judgments, which were verbal, are being prepared and will be published in due course.

Excellent Brewing Water.

An interesting analysis of Victoria water has just been made by Messrs. H. S. Rich & Co., of the Western Brewery Company of Chicago. The water was found to contain in one million parts :

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Chloride of Sodium	18
Carbonate of Soda	4
Carbonate of Lime and Magnesia	24
Silica	21
Sulphate of Soda	6
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The water is free from any noxious bacterial contamination, and is excellent for brewing purposes.

A Suspicious Steamer

The Hawaaian steamer Alexander, which is being refitted at a cost of $50,000 at San Francisco, is the topic of a great deal of discussion among the marine fraternity of that city. Whether she is being prepared for a half-piratical and regular freebooting cruise, with the intention of raiding the Copper Island rookeries and trading with Alaskan natives and Russians whisky or anything else that may be handled for furs, or whether she is destined for a sealing and whaling voyage, is not known. The owners are very reticent as to her movements, even to the crew, who will not sign to leave on her except they receive $300 in advance.

"The Rose of Ettrick Vale."

The date for the presentation of this pretty Irish drama at the Imperial by the dramatic club of Seghers' Council, Y.M.I., has been definitely fixed for the 31st inst., and the cast will be as below :

Rea Ronald	F. J. Sehl
O'd Adam	J. O'Donnell
Albert	J. Walsh
Guy o' the Gap	D. Murphy
Glenbrae	W. H. Harris
Wandering Steenie	J. Mellon
Brand o' the Brae	J. Leonard
Black Wylie	T. P. Sehl
Murdock	G. J. Quinan
Fe gus	H. J. O'Leary
Laureite	Miss E. Conlin
Jessie	Miss K. Conlin
Amy	Miss E. Sehl

Peasants, Soldiers, Hunters, etc.

The Land of Milk and Honey.

Mr. W. H. Mawdsley, of the Point Comfort House, Mayne Island, came up on Sunday evening's boat and is a guest at the Hotel Victoria.

"You talk about your mild weather here," he said yesterday, "and so it is mild when compared with what they are having in the East, but if you would find a veritable land of milk and honey at this time of the year, you ought to go to Mayne Island. When I left there were green raspberries growing on the bushes and I expect when I go back to find them ripe. If they are, I'll send you down some. No; I havn't a photograph of the bushes, but when you see the berries themselves, all your doubts will be removed."

Spiritualism at Pioneer Hall.

A large audience assembled at the above hall last Sunday evening to witness the experiments in Psychometry by Mrs. Steers. The proceedings were varied with singing and proved very interesting, many of the audience staying beyond the usual time of dismissal. It is expected that the readings will be continued.

A Chance for the Cinder Path.

The Victoria Turf club offer to build a quarter-mile regulation bicycle track within their oval at Mount Tolmie, providing the bicycle club guarantee 100 members. A meeting of the Island Wanderers will be called at an early date to consider the proposition, which is very favorably entertained by individual members.

To Establish Night Schools.

Ald. Miller is going to bring up, at a subsequent meeting of the City Council, an important resolution with regard to night schools, which he thinks should be established under the authority of the City Council. There is provision made for this in the Municipal Act and Ald. Miller thinks it would be a good plan to have the scheme worked here.

A Successful Trip.

Mr. Herbert Cuthbert returned from the Mainland last night after completing arrangements for his firm to build a large new wharf and warehouse at Ladner's Landing at a cost of nearly $2,000, and which is to be called Cuthbert's Landing. Besides this Mr. Cuthbert secured about 300 tons of general produce for present and future delivery.

Want the Council to Assist.

There is a movement on foot among the ratepayers along the Esquimalt Road to have the work of grading, sidewalking, etc., held over until an amendment can be had to the Local Improvement by-law, to enable the City Council to pay about one-third the cost of the work. The opponents of the carrying on of the work under present conditions will circulate a petition against it.

First Presbyterian Church.

The Young People's Literary society of this church was entertained last evening to a very interesting and humorous discourse on "The Age We Live in," delivered by their pastor, Rev. Dr. Campbell. Dr. Campbell mentioned in the course of the evening, that he might on some future occasion during the session lecture on the life of the great mechanical genius, George Stephenson.

Drunks in Dock.

There were four drunks in the dock at the Police court yesterday, three of whom were discharged with a caution, it being their first offence, and a fourth was fined $5 and costs. "John Calapero" was called to explain why he took more ardent spirit than was good for him personally and the peace of the community generally, but the man with the strange name did not respond. He had been bailed out, and his bondsmen will be called upon to forfeit the amount of their security—$10.

Siberia at The Victoria.

A crowded house enjoyed the spectacular drama "Siberia" at The Victoria, last night. The company is a strong one, and the drama is put on in right good style. As the name will suggest, the author endeavors to depict the horrors of the dreaded Russian convict quarters, and the scenes of hardship which form the leading features of the plot would be almost depressing were it not for the strong spice of humor here and there introduced. A good, but by no means new, plot is well sustained. There is not, however, anything in it approaching heavy drama—it is the spectacular that is chiefly depended on for success. The fete to the princess in the palace of the Governor introduces many very creditable innovations, chief among which is the famous serpentine dance by Miss Julia Kingsley. Movements the most graceful are watched with admiration, as the nimble young artiste keeps time to the music enveloped in never ending serpentine curves of drapery. While she dances varied tints of the limelight are thrown upon the stage with happy effect. The performance is most creditable. A feature which deservedly met with hearty approval, was Bert Coote's capital burlesque of the Carmencita dance. The balancing and juggling feats of Miss Laura Ashby are very pleasing, while the grand Amazonian display, review and parade, concluding with a grand march spelling the word "Siberia," fairly brought down the house. The drama will be repeated to night and again to-morrow night, and those who fail to take it in will miss a treat.

GERMANY'S ARMY BILL.

Its Passage Sure—Caprivi's Speech Causes Great Revulsion in Russia—Explanations Wanted.

LONDON, Jan. 17.—The Berlin correspondent of the Daily News says of Chancellor Von Caprivi's appearance before the commission on the Army bill yesterday: "He spoke with great frankness of strategic detail of a more or less secret nature, and described the probable operations in the event of war, especially with France. He admitted in general the utility of forts. For instance, he said it would require much larger masses of troops to surround Paris now than it would have required in 1870. Germany had not built forts, because they made such exorbitant demands for men from the field army. He dwelt upon the horrors of war which the bill was intended to avert, and denied that the measure was a screw without an end."

BERLIN, Jan. 15.—The Opposition is now beginning to admit that the army bill has a chance of passing the Reichstag. Among the proposals was a suggestion that the new organization of the army should not be enforced immediately upon the bill becoming a law, but that the changes proposed should extend over several years in execution.

In official circles the question now is not whether the Government will get a majority, but how large a majority will it be. All things considered, the bill is practically safe. The effect abroad of the Chancellor's speech before the Reichstag committee is eagerly watched here. Telegrams from St. Petersburg received to-day state that the Chancellor's words made the worst sort of impression there. The revulsion of the friendly feeling entertained for the German Government will be intense unless Chancellor von Caprivi officially explains his remarks regarding Russia and Denmark. The speech is hailed at Vienna and Buda-Pesth as establishing greater confidence on the part of the Austrian Government in von Caprivi than was ever felt in Prince Bismarck.

Whitaker's almanacs at Hibben & Co.'s.

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THEIR FIRST MEETING.

The Members of the 1893 Board of Aldermen Meet to Transact Business.

Report of the Sewerage Commissioners and of the Sanitary Engineer —The Finance Committee.

The first meeting of the 1893 Board of Aldermen was held last evening at the City Hall, there being a full attendance. His Worship Mayor Beaven occupied the chair, with Aldermen Baker, McTavish and Munn, on the front row of seats; Aldermen Henderson, Miller and Bragg, on the second row; and Aldermen Styles, Belyea and McKillican at the back.

There were no "minutes of last meeting" to be read and approved. Instead, each of the aldermen came forward and deposited with the City Clerk the certified oath of office as taken before the Chief Justice, and then the business of the meeting proceeded.

MAYOR BEAVEN forwarded two messages, one enclosing copy of the Assessment by-law, which he recommended for the consideration of the Council; the other nominating Ald. McKillican, Munn and McTavish as the Finance committee. The other committees, he said, he had been unable, through pressure of business, to name, but would do so later on.

Mr. W. F. Bullen, manager of the Albion Iron Works Co., wrote *re* deposit of marked cheque for completion of sewerage contract. Letter referred to Finance committee.

The following communication from the Sewerage commissioners was received and filed :

CITY HALL,
Victoria, B.C., Jan. 6, 1893.

His Worship the Mayor and Board of Aldermen.

GENTLEMEN,—We beg to hand you the accompanying report from the Sanitary Engineer. With reference to the expedition of the 17th November last, we desire to place on record our complete satisfaction with the way in which the work has been carried out, and, as far as we are able to judge, with the results accomplished.

We have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Your most obedient servants,
J. H. TURNER,
THOMAS EARLE,
JOHN TEAGUE,
Sewerage Commissioners.

CITY HALL,
VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 6, 1893.

The Sewerage Commissioners, Victoria, B. C.

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to report that since the conditional acceptance of the sewers a water test was applied to them for the satisfaction of the Board of Aldermen. On the 17th November last two hydrants were turned into the View street main, one at View and Quadra and one at View and Blanchard. At the same time two hydrants were turned into the Humboldt street main, one at Chatham and Government, and the other at Store and Cormorant. From the observed pressures at the City Hall it has been calculated that over 80,000 gallons an hour were passing through these sewers.

At the outfall, which was reached by the water in about two hours (it was turned on at 12.50 p.m., and had reached the outlet before 3 p.m., when the party arrived there), the depth of water above the invert of the 45" was 10", and its velocity about 2½ feet per second.

A large number of the manholes were examined, and in every case the water was found flowing with a reasonable velocity. At the manhole at View and Vancouver, where, as I in October reported, there was a slight settlement, the depth of water was found to be 9½" in a 15" pipe. Even at this point the water had a velocity of 2·28 feet per second.

In view of the unfounded reports which have lately been circulated, I beg most emphatically to state that at no time since the sewers were accepted has water been standing in them or in the manholes; on the contrary, when it has been necessary to empty the dirt trays (since the acceptance), the trifling amount of water or sewage has invariably been found flowing. On the 31st December the manhole at View and Vancouver streets was examined, with this result.

The upper outlet pipe at Clover Point was examined a few nights ago, to see if any damage had resulted from the late heavy gales. I am glad to be able to report that the precautions taken for its protection have proved effectual. The tide did not fall sufficiently to enable the lower pipe to be examined, but as it is far less exposed to the violence of the waves than the upper, it is reasonable to expect that no damage has been done; nor is it probable that the outlet works will have to encounter heavier storms than those they have already passed through unscathed.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your most obedient servant,
EDWARD MOHUN,
Chief Engineer.

ALD. BAKER combatted some of the statements made by the Sanitary Engineer, which he said were incorrect.

Petitions were received from a number of ratepayers against the sidewalking of Oak Bay avenue on the Local Improvement system. Referred to City Assessor.

J. H. Falconer wrote, asking for the grade of Maclure street. Referred to City Engineer.

Notice of the appeal in the Chinese overcrowding case being sustained was received and filed.

After some discussion about the Returning officer's report, a resolution was passed asking for further particulars.

The Council then adjourned.

PERFECT SATISFACTION.

GENTLEMEN,—I have found B.B.B. an excellent remedy, both as a blood purifier and general family medicine. I was for a long time troubled with sick headache and heartburn, and tried a bottle which gave me such perfect satisfaction that I have since then used it as our family medicine.

E. BAILEY, North Bay, Ont.

In 1893

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SPEEDY RELIEF FOR CROUP.

GENTLEMEN,—I have a little boy of 5, whose greatest trouble is the croup, and I find that Hagyard's Yellow Oil gives speedy relief, therefore I take pleasure in recommending it to the pub lic.

MRS L H. BALDWIN, Oakland, Ont.

Do Not Miss

Reading this item, as Lange & Co. did not succeed in selling their business for the figure agreed to to their Eastern friend, nor in disposing of all of their stock this Christmas to the public. And as the building wherein they have conducted business for the last 17 years is to be destroyed shortly and a new one erected in place, under the circumstances Lange & Co. are obliged to re-open in their own place, No. 88 Douglas street, opposite Odd Fellows' hall. Reduced sales will continue until goods which are left are sold. Any one wishing to secure a good going business established since 30 years, can do so at a very reasonable figure. And the new premises can be rented at a moderate rate.

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18 doz. Ladies' Wool Vests, worth $1.25, now 87½c.
10 doz. Striped Skirts, a bargain at 45c. each.
12 doz. Night Dresses, American Goods, worth $1.50, now 95c.
40 Pieces French Sateens, worth 40c., now 25c.
250 doz. Pearl Buttons, worth 25c., now 12½c.
50 doz. Suede Gloves at 75c.
Carpet Squares from $1.25 each.
Mats and Rugs from 50c. each.
Our Stock of Trimmed Millinery in two lines, $2.50 and $5.00, regular prices $5.00 to $25.00.

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D. SPENCER, - - GOVERNMENT ST.

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PROVINCIAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

Officers Elected by the Council and Business Preliminary to the Next Prize Meeting Discussed,

The newly-elected council of the British Columbia Rifle Association had their first meeting yesterday afternoon in the office of the secretary, Capt. Fletcher. The first and chief business was the election of officers for the current year. It was unanimously resolved to request His Honor Lieut.-Governor Dewdney to accept the honorary position of Patron of the Association, following the custom of his predecessors in office; and Hon. Theodore Davie, premier; Hon. J. H. Turner, minister of finance; Hon. Robert Beaven, mayor of Victoria; E. B. Cope, mayor of Vancouver; W. B. Townsend, mayor of New Westminster, and A. Haslam, mayor of Nanaimo, will be requested to continue as vice-patrons.

The presidency Lieut.-Col. Prior, M. P., requested to be relieved of, as owing to the pressure of his other public duties he found it very hard to spare the time necessary to do justice to the affairs of the association. Being pressed to reconsider the request, Col. Prior said he had quite made up his mind on the subject, and while as a member of the council his interest in the association would continue as heretofore, he wished to see some one else appointed president, and named Lieut.-Col. Wolfenden, who had served as vice-president and was one of the oldest friends of the association.

Col. Wolfenden suggested that Senator McInnes take the office, but the Senator declined on the ground that he was as yet only a novice. In compliance with the unanimous request of the meeting Col. Wolfenden then accepted the position. Senator McInnes and Capt. McGregor, of Nanaimo, were unanimously elected vice-presidents.

Secretary Fletcher also wished to resign his office, which he has held continuously since 1875, but this the council would not hear of, and he was unanimously re-elected. In order to lessen the Secretary's work, the new office of assistant secretary was created, Mr. J. D. Taylor being appointed to that position. The Treasurer, Capt. Dorman, was unanimously re-elected, though he, too, suggested a change. Capt. Shears was re-elected auditor.

A range committee consisting of Capt. Smallfield, Lieut. Williams and Mr. J. D. Taylor, together with the Secretary and Treasurer, was appointed to take the necessary steps for putting the range in order for the next prize meeting. It is in contemplation to have the targets moved back so as to be more easily seen by the markers, and to have the firing points improved by covering with plank or otherwise.

Capt. Fletcher and Capt. Smallfield were appointed a finance committee, with a view to augmenting the prize fund through the assistance of the numerous well-wishers not now members of the association.

The cup presented by the Corporation of Victoria having been finally won last prize meeting by Staff Sergt. J. C. Newbury, this fact well be reported to the Corporation with a request for another trophy to be shot for under similar conditions.

Drink Phoenix Lager Beer.

The Boy, the Mother and the Stocking.

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H. M. YATES,
ja11-1mo Secretary.

DOUBLE EXECUTION.

Murderers Teragnello and Sing Kee Hanged by the Neck Till Dead.

How They Met Their Fate—Details of the Original and Final Tragedy.

(From our own Correspondent.)

NANAIMO, B. C., Jan. 16.—At an early hour a large crowd gathered at all available points in a fruitless endeavor to catch a sight of the execution. Sheriff Drake was besieged with requests for admission, which were refused to all except representatives of the press and Government officials, about thirty of whom gathered in the jail yard at 7:45 a.m. The moans of Teragnello were heard in his cell, and the condemned were soon seen coming down the stairs; Sing Kee walking confidently, Teragnello being carried bodily, rending the air with his lamentations. The Chinaman took his place squarely on the trap and smiled faintly. Teragnello was deposited in a heap on the trap, and, being raised to his feet, was supported while the noose was adjusted. Teragnello made a short statement: "Adieu, adieu! Better be in hell than here in this place. I did not kill him. This is not right. My God! Adieu!" Both nooses were quickly adjusted, the man supporting Teragnello sprang aside, and the drop fell at 8 sharp. Teragnello was motionless. Sing Kee twitched for several moments and then hung limp. Those present dispersed, the bodies were cut down and a coroner's jury took matters in hand. The details of the execution were carried out very successfully.

SING KEE.

In the early part of May, 1892, the iron strong-box which did duty as the safe of the British Columbia Packing Co., Rivers' Inlet, was stolen, with its contents, consisting of some $1,000 in gold and silver coin. Some days later the safe was found, broken open and rifled of its contents. The robbery was the work of the Chinaman Sing Kee and several others. A quarrel arose among the robbers over the division of the spoils, in which matter Sing Kee considered himself to have been cheated. The result of the quarrel was that Sing procured a Winchester, and, one day when his confederates were at dinner, opened fire upon them, with the evident intention of securing a sweeping revenge for his "wrongs." The result of the shooting was the killing outright of one Chinaman, the death, resulting from fright, of another, and the wounding of a third.

After the shooting Sing Kee took to the forest and for a time avoided arrest. His capture was secured by an Indian policeman. The murderer was sent to New Westminster and the case came up for trial at the Fall Assizes in November last. Mr. Jenns acted as counsel for the defence, being appointed by the court. An adjournment was asked for to enable important witnesses to be procured. The appeal was granted, but, at the request of the Crown, the case was removed to Nanaimo and tried at the December Assizes. The prisoner was convicted of murder on the overwhelming testimony of several eyewitnesses, while the defence failed to produce any witnesses for their side.

The death sentence was pronounced and Sing was incarcerated to await the process of the law.

Since that time he has borne up remarkably well under the trying circumstances, appearing at all times cheerful and even lively. His standard amusement had been the taunting of his fellow-prisoner, Teragnello, with the fact of being a much better man, as he had killed "three men to your one."

Once only has he shown any signs of a desire to avert his fate, and that was by a proposition made to Teragnello that they two kill their keeper, a trusty who slept in the cell with them, and try to make their escape.

The night before the execution he was heard singing a Chinese song in his cell with a steady voice that gave no indication of concern as to his fate.

DOMINIC TERAGNELLO.

On the night of Wednesday, September 28, John Cavallero was assaulted at Northfield, and wounded unto death by an unknown man. The injured man lived until next morning and recovered sufficiently before his death to express his belief that his assailant was one Teragnello, though he supposed that man to be in Alaska at the time. Constable Stevenson placed a description of the man Teragnello in the hands of Conductor Coburn, of the E. & N. railroad, with instructions to keep an eye open for the man. At Chemainus a man answering the description given boarded the train. A telegram to Victoria brought up Sergeant Langley and Officer McNeill, of the Provincial police, who watched their man and on his arrival in Victoria effected his arrest. Teragnello appeared very cool, protested his innocence and told such a clever story that for a time some doubt existed as to his being the man required.

He was removed on the first of October to Nanaimo and the provincial police took up the case aided by the local officials. Link by link a chain of evidence was forged too strong to be broken. Every step almost of the man's journey was traced from the time of his return from Alaska and arrival in Victoria to his arrest by the officers of the law.

Thirty-six witnesses gave evidence for the prosecution, and the trial, which developed some sensational features, lasted two days. Teragnello undoubtedly labored under the impression that Cavallero was his wife's paramour, and revenge prompted the bloody deed.

When first placed under close confinement Teragnello raved and stormed like a mad man. His meals were dashed frantically on the floor and his clothing and bedding torn to strips. At times he broke down repeatedly and moaned and wept wildly. Later he became somewhat calm and acted more rationally, though at all times uneasy and fretful. His appetite improved and he ate regularly toward the end. The last night in his cell was spent in part with a father confessor who succeeded in apparently inducing a better frame of mind.

On Sunday evening Sheriff Drake saw the finishing touches put on the grim machinery by means of which the sentences of the courts in the cases of Dominick Teragnello and Sing Kee were to be carried out. The trap responded promptly to the touch of the lever, and several severe final tests resulted in the pronouncing of a favorable verdict on the arrangements. Above the final strokes of the hammer could be heard the voice of Sing Kee in a thin and quavering Chinese song, the music of which, mingling with the scrape, scrape of the saw, floated out in the night air with an effect at once weird and awful.

It is not what its proprietors say but what Hood's Sarsaparilla does that tells the story of its merit. Hood's Sarsaparilla CURES.

CORRESPONDENTS EXPELLED.

The French Government Much Annoyed by Foreign Newspaper Reports Regarding the Scandal.

PARIS, Jan. 15.—The Government has begun a campaign against foreign newspaper correspondents in this city. The ministers have been seriously annoyed from the first by the attacks of English and German newspapers upon the men besmirched by the Panama scandal. Several Paris dailies have suggested that both England and Germany had sufficient dishonesty at home to prevent them from casting stones, were they not so self-righteous. To-day's dispatches from Berlin, Buda Pesth and London announced that the insinuations of the Cocarde have been transformed by the Paris correspondents of newspapers in the cities into suggestions that either Baron Mohrenheim, the Russian ambassador, or Count Menabre, formerly Italian ambassador, have been influenced in favor of the Panama Canal company by a bribe of 500,000 francs.

Herr Wedel, correspondent for several German dailies, was one of the guilty men, and he was notified to leave the country. M. Selche, correspondent of the Pesti Hirlap, has been arrested for telegraping the report in question to Buda Pesth. Several other correspondents have been notified that they will be expelled from France, for the same offence.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

Sealers Off to Sea—The Crew of the Missing Majestic.

Two more schooners of the fleet got away last evening. They were the Otto, in command of Capt. Keefe, and the Pioneer, with Capt. McLeod in charge. Both are bound for the West coast, where they will receive Indian crews before going to sea. On getting their Indians they will sail South and catch the seals as they move North.

THE MISSING CREW.

Below are given the names obtainable of those who composed the crew of the bark Majestic, supposed to have gone to the bottom while en route from Seattle to San Francisco: O. Lorentzen, master; H. Anderson, mate; Thomas Leland, George Sweeney, G. G. Clark, N. J. Olesen and Charles Brown, seamen.

THE TOP-LINER'S PLANS.

The sealing schooner Carlotta G. Cox sails on Friday. W. D. Byers, her captain, is making preparations to stay at sea eight or nine months, it being his intention to try the Japan coast this year, for which he will steer direct. The Cox's crew number 23 white men all told.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO.

The steamship Walla Walla, from San Francisco, arrived Sunday night with a small freight and passenger list for Victoria. Her cabin passengers were: E. J. Doyle, J. Clements, T. E. Ladner and wife, J. H. Faraday and H. L. Fagan.

MARINE NOTES.

The American bark Colorado yesterday took on board eight Japs, who will form part of her crew on her voyage to Valparaiso. The captain has had some trouble with his sailors—union men—and vows that he will run the ship in future.

The Island Belle has been withdrawn from the Puget Sound and Vancouver run, being found deficient both in speed and passenger accommodation.

Tug Active arrived down from Vancouver yesterday morning and to-day she will be hauled on the Star ways for a general repairing.

The little American steamer Harry Lynn, arrived over from Roche harbor yesterday with a small party of railroad men.

The steamship Wilmington from Astoria brought 41 tons of freight for this port, Sunday evening.

Steamer Kildonan brought in a scow load of hay from the Mainland on Sunday.

The U. S. revenue cutter Wolcott arrived in port yesterday afternoon.

The Falcon left for Nanaimo on Sunday for coal.

Tug Lorne left for the Cape yesterday.

ENTERED.

Str. Walla Walla	from	San Francisco.
" City of Kingston	"	Port Townsend.
" Wilmington	"	Astoria.
" Princess Louise	"	N. Westminster.
" Harry Lynn	"	Roche Harbor.
" Islander	"	Vancouver.
" Tepic	"	" "
" Active	"	" "
" Kildonan	"	" "
" Alert	"	Nanaimo.
" Daisy	"	"
Sloop Flora	"	Clayoquot.
" Champion	"	Scoke.

CLEARED.

Str. Walla Walla	for	Port Townsend.
" City of Kingston	"	" "
" Wilmington	"	" "
" Harry Lynn	"	" "
" Islander	"	Vancouver.
" Lorne	"	Straits.
" Rainbow	"	Port Simpson.
" Tepic	"	Vancouver.
" Kildonan	"	" "
" Joan	"	Nanaimo.
" Falcon	"	"
" Daisy	"	"
" Princess Louise	"	N. Westminster.
" Alert	"	Saturna Island.
Schr Otto	"	N. P. O.
" Pioneer	"	N. P. O.
Sloop Champion	"	Sooke.

German Distress Exaggerated.

BERLIN, Jan. 15.—Herr Leibknecht's question regarding the alleged distress among the working classes in Germany was again under discussion in the Reichstag Saturday. Minister von Boetticher reaffirmed what he said the other day, that there was no need of resort to State aid. The exports from Germany in 1891 had increased, he said, and the industries of Saxony had especially improved, while in Hamburg, in spite of the cholera epidemic, work has increased and wages had risen.

Desperate Strikers.

BERLIN, Jan. 14.—Driven to desperation, the striking miners at Dortmund became riotous yesterday morning and had to be dispersed by the police. A number of them were wounded and the leader was arrested.

Married a Lunatic.

ABERDEEN, S. D., Jan. 15.—Miss Minnie Martin, of Omaha, four weeks ago married Almer Dresser, of Rutland, Ill. To-day it was learned that Dresser was an escaped lunatic, and he was taken back to the asylum.

Brigandage in Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO, Jan. 16.—Piedad station, in Guanajuato, was recently the scene of a daring robbery. The place was attacked by a band of ten brigands who succeeded in getting off with $200,000 in silver. Troops have been sent in pursuit of the outlaws.

Cattle Inspection in Queensland.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 16.—The Government of Queensland has created a new position at this port by the appointment of a veterinary surgeon whose duty shall be to examine all stock shipped from San Francisco to the Australian colony. Dr. William F. Egan, of this city, is the inspector.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

Balance Sheet, 31st December, 1892.

ASSETS.

SINKING FUNDS.

Water Works Loan By-Law, 1873	$ 55,645 75	
Water Works Amendment Act, 1875	40,181 45	
Water Works Loan By-Law, 1877	9,550 65	
Corporation By-Law, 1878	12,159 10	
Public Light " 1885	4,597 60	
Drainage " 1885	1,440 00	
Water Works " 1886	10,218 70	
Streets & Bridge " 1886	2,001 00	
Johnson st Sewer " 1888	1,678 75	
Water Works " 1888	1,122 00	
Streets, Bridges and Cemetery By Law, 1889	2,892 45	
Water Works $70,000 By-Law, 1889	4,445 60	
Water Works $60,000 By-Law, 1889	3,813 65	
Pleasure Grounds By-Law, 1889	1,587 75	
Fire Department By-Law, 1889	930 25	
Flour Mill Bonus By-Law, 1889	764 06	
City Hall Addition By-Law, 1890	2,288 85	
Cemetery By-Law, 1890	816 35	
Sewerage " 1890	5,428 65	
Public Market Site By-Law, 1890	814 55	
Public Market Buildings By-Law, 1890	995 00	
Crematory By Law, 1890	429 00	
Agricultural Association By-Law, 1891	687 30	
Loan City of Victoria Act, 1892	2,312 30	
	$ 167,670 00	
Municipal Taxes outstanding—		
Land and Improvement Tax	$ 29,588 90	
Trades Licenses	1,177 50	
Fire Insurance Tax	1,550 00	
Water Rents	9,920 00	
Market Rents	125 75	
	42,362 15	
B.C. Land & Investment Agency—Loan City Victoria Act, 1892	$ 353 27	
Broad St. Improvement	1,145 10	
Home for Aged	40 76	
	1,839 13	
B.C. Corporation, Limited, Crematory Loan	10,410 40	
J. Gosnell, Weighing Machine Fees	59 98	
A. McBean, for Pipes	1,477 95	
Bank B. N. America—		
General Account	$ 1,375 35	
City Victoria Act, 1892	3,014 43	
Sewerage Loan 1890	$ 35 90	
Sewerage Deposit Account	18,768 56—18,804 46	
Street Loan By-Law, 1892	12,222 77	
Contract Deposit Acc	4,401 10	
	39,818 11	
Cash on hand	63 35	
Corporation of the City of Victoria, being excess of Liabilities over Assets	1,185,592 48	
	$1,449,293 55	$1,449,293 55

(E. O. E.)
January 6, 1893.
Certified correct.
JAMES L. RAYMUR, Auditor.

LIABILITIES.

LOANS.

Water Works Loan, 1873	$ 92,500 00	
" " 1875	50,000 00	
" " 1877	20,000 00	
Corporation " 1878	20,000 00	
Public Lighting " 1885	16,000 00	
Drainage " 1885	5,000 00	
Water Works " 1886	75,000 00	
Streets & Bridge " 1886	50,000 00	
Johnson st Sewer " 1888	30,000 00	
Water Works " 1888	20,000 00	
Streets, Bridges and Cemetery Loan, 1889	45,000 00	
Water Works Loan, 1889	60,000 00	
" 1889	70,000 00	
Pleasure Grounds Loan, 1889	25,000 00	
Fire Department Loan, 1889	15,000 00	
Flour Mills Bonus Loan, 1889	10,000 00	
City Hall Addition Loan, 1890	35,000 00	
Cemetery Loan, 1890	12,500 00	
Sewerage Loan, 1890	300,000 00	
Public Market Site Loan, 1890	45,000 00	
Public Market Building Loan, 1890	55,000 00	
Crematory Loan, 1890	10,000 00	
Agricultural Association Loan, 1891	25,000 00	
City Victoria Act Loan, 1892	182,000 00	
Street Loan By-Law, 1892	25,000 00	
		$1,293 000 00
Water Works Current Account		150,190 16
Deposits for use of Streets		330 00
Home for Aged and Infirm, Permanent Building Fund		40 76
Contract Deposit Account		4,376 00
Unclaimed Wages		54 31
Tax Sale Redemption Account		37 87
Outstanding Accounts		1,264 42
		$1,449,293 55

CHARLES KENT, Treasurer.

Receipts and Expenditure—1892.

RECEIPTS.

From 1st January to 31st December.

Land and Improvement Tax	$219,672 73
Water Rents and Rates	54,810 66
Trades Licenses	22,301 50
Liquor Licenses	15,980 00
Revenue Tax	11,151 00
Revenue tax from Provincial Government	5,937 00
Gravel Pits Sale By-law	9 756 01
Fire Insurance Tax	9,100 00
Police Court Fines and Fees	6,683 95
Road Tax	3 498 00
Cemetery Fees	2,730 30
Refund from Provincial Government under Sec 109 Municipal Act, 1892	1,674 42
Dog Tax	508 70
Pound Fees	641 25
Provincial Government in aid of Fire Department	1,000 00
Market Fees and Rents	1,625 06
Miscellaneous	5,223 97
Interest on Investment of Sinking Funds	5,576 36
Total	$377,903 91

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City Hall,
Victoria, B. C., 6th January, 1893.
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EXPENDITURE.

Summary of Expenditure from 1st January to 31st December, 1892.

I. City Debt	$83,207 75
II. Civic Salaries	73,448 03
III. City Institutions	129,459 74
IV. Education	23,733 38
V. Municipal Council	3,800 00
VI. Buildings and Surveys	3,286 38
VII. Streets, Bridges and Sidewalks	30,800 53
VIII. Miscellaneous Expenditure	28,926 01
	$376,662 02

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DETAILED EXPENDITURE.

Statement Showing the Expenditure for 1892, as brought to Account in the Treasury of the City of Victoria, from 1st January to 31st December, 1892.

I. CITY DEBT—

Interest on Debentures	$51,597 90	
Interest under Annual Loan By-law, 1892	2,418 62	
		$53,956 52
Brokerage and Exchange, Payments to Sinking Funds	23,525 48	$ 149 39
Interest Accrued from the Investment of Sinking Funds	5,576 36	
		29,101 84
		$83,207 75

II. CIVIC SALARIES—

Treasurer's Office	5,155 01	
City Clerk's Office	2,671 67	
Assessor's Office	2,760 00	
Janitor	770 00	
Temporary Assistance, all Departments	319 00	
		11,675 71
Water Works		4,910 00
Public Works		8,169 01
Board of Health		1,800 00
Police		23,467 43
Fire Department		12,602 05
Library		1,115 00
Pound		928 83
Home for Aged and Infirm		600 00
Market		960 00
Street Lighting		4,537 35
Cemetery		1,241 00
Park		1,438 65
		$73,448 03

III. CITY INSTITUTIONS—

Water Works		45,743 08
Cemetery		216 81
Board of Health, lepers	994 10	
Board of Health, general	59,102,01	
		60,096 11
Park		565 48
Police—		
Clothing	1,893 50	
Keep of Prisoners	3,011 15	
Inquests, Lunatics, etc	515 50	
Hacks and Express	122 25	
Interpreter	64 50	
Washing	17 00	
Sundries	148 10	
		5,742 00
Library		65 00
Fire Department—		
Feed for Horses	1,353 38	
Shoeing and Blacksmith	252 87	
Repairs	474 60	
Hardware, Oil, etc	473 79	
Medical Service, horses	65 85	
Insulated Wire	131 00	
Hydrants	600 00	
Chemical Engine	2,740 00	
Harness and Clothing	371 86	
Fire Alarm Service	474 60	
Furniture and Bedding	139 65	
Scavenger	29 50	
Couplings, Nozzles, etc	196 28	

Expenditure continued.

Freight	53 30	
Express Hire	6 75	
One Horse	300 00	
Fuel	158 00	
		8,124 43
Pound		147 72
Street Lighting		4,490 66
Home for Aged and Infirm		3,247 88
Market		1,020 57
		$129,459 74

IV. EDUCATION—

Provincial Government	14,130 00
Board of School Trustees	9,603 58
	$23,733 58

V. MUNICIPAL COUNCIL—

Mayor and Aldermen	3,800 00

VI. BUILDINGS AND SURVEYS—

City Hall Repairs	359 85
Market Property	1,223 05
Fire Halls	610 94
Furniture	396 67
Defining Streets and City Boundaries	695 87
	$3,286 39

VII. STREETS, BRIDGES AND SIDEWALKS—

For all Purposes	30,800 53

VIII. MISCELLANEOUS—

Advertising and Printing	5,153 18
Stationery	905 61
Postage	413 10
Telegrams	75 05
Telephone Service	1,500 15
Fuel and Light	2,210 00
Hacks and Express	291 75
Fire Insurance	211 50
Commission on Collections	158 10
Legal Expenses	2,179 15
Refunds	393 64
Charitable Aid Fund	511 52
Grant to Jubilee Hospital	2,000 00
Registrar General, re Assess't Roll	382 00
Queen's Birthday Celebration	1,000 00
Election Petition, C. Williams	250 00
Expenses Local Improvement By-Law	332 25
Sec, 80 B, Fairfield	9,393 47
Miscellaneous not detailed	1,925 14
	$28,926 01

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that at the next session of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, application will be made for an act to revise, consolidate and amend the City of Victoria Official Map Act, 1880, the City of Victoria Official Map Amendment Act, 1881, the City of Victoria Official Map Act, 1883, the City of Victoria Official Map Act Amendment Act, 1888, and the City of Victoria Official Map Amendment Act, 1889, and to extend the provisions of the Act so dealt with to the limits of the city as they now exist, conferring upon the city engineer the power to define and settle street, block and lot lines and boundaries in that portion of section 31, Esquimalt District, known as Victoria West, and making it compulsory that all plans and subdivisions of land within the city limits be approved by the city council prior to their acceptance and registration by the Registrar-General of titles, and a copy of each plan so submitted for approval be filed with the city surveyor of Victoria.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.
Victoria, B. C., 4th January, 1893. jan6

NOTICE.

William Baines is hereby authorized to act as our agent until further notice.

SPOKANE & GREAT NORTHERN MINING COMPANY.
A. B. KEELER, Vice-President.

My office for the present will be located at 100 Fort street.
jan6 WM. BAINES.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that a shareholders' meeting of the Okell & Morris Fruit Preserving Company, Limited, will be held at the offices of Messrs. Morrow, Holland & Co., Broad street, of this city on Wednesday, February 1st, at 7.30 p. m. Business, balance sheet for last year; alteration of annual meeting; extension of factory. Members of the company are requested to attend.

SAMUEL MOSSCROP OKELL,
jan1-3wks Secretary Treasurer.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for the passage of an Act incorporating a Company to construct, maintain and operate a motor line of railway from the City of Victoria in a northerly direction through Mount Tolmie Park to Cordova Bay, and to confer upon such Company all powers, rights and privileges usual and necessary for such purposes.

Dated January 3rd, A. D., 1893.

BELYEA & GREGORY.
jan5-tf Solicitors for the Applicants,

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.
Loan under authority of the City of Victoria Act, 1892.

1892.

Amount of bonds sold	$ 182,000 00		
Premium on above bonds having realized 104 net	7,280 00		
		189,280 00	
Accrued interest at 5% on above		196 24	
Difference between sales of substituted 50 year 4½% bonds of 1892, at 98½ net, and advance of $85,000 on security of Market site and Market building 50 year 4½ bonds of 1890		7,240 26	
		$196,716 50	

Payments made under authority of sub-sec. A, sec. 2, City of Victoria Act, 1892 $134,141 41
Payments made under authority of sub-sec. B, sec. 2, City of Victoria Act, 1892 6,682 04
Payments made under authority of sub-sec. C, sec 2, City of Victoria Act, 1892 27,001 90
Payments made under authority of sub-sec. D, sec. 2, City of Victoria Act, 1892 2,509 20
Interest on advances made before bonds were floated, sub-sec. E, sec. 2 3,014 25
Balance on hand 3,367 70
$196,716 50

E. E.
City Hall,
Victoria, B. C.,
January 6, 1893.
Certified correct.
JAMES L. RAYMUR, Auditor.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.
Loan under authority of the Street Loan By-Law, 1892.

Amount of Bonds sold	$25,000 00	Discount on Bonds	$ 500 00
Accrued Interest	179 58	Expenditure on streets, bridges, sidewalks, to Dec. 31, 1892	12,456 81
		Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1892	12,222 77
	$25,179 58		$ 25,179 58

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.
Loan under authority of the Sewerage Loan By-Law, 1890.

Jan. 1, 1892—			
Balance on hand	$114,793 01	Expenditure on sewerage works from Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1892	$ 96,595 88
Accrued interest on above	1,949 40	do. do. do. charged to Alex. McBean	1,477 95
Pipe sold	135 85	Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1892	18,804 46
	$116,878 29		$116,878 29

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CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.
Loan under authority of the Crematory By-Law, 1890.

January 1, Balance this date	$ 9,800 00	Dec. 31, 1892, Balance on hand this date	$ 10,410 40
Accrued Interest	610 40		
	$ 10,410 40		$ 10,410 40

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JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Auditor.

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CHAS. KENT,
Treasurer.

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Lardeau City is the entrance point for the Lardeau Pass, which reaches through to the head of Kootenay Lake, and application has already been made for a charter to build a Railway from Lardeau City to Lake Kootenay and Nelson.

Lardeau City is not a town competing with several other points in the same District. It is naturally the best point for supplying the surrounding Mining Country, and there is a brighter prospect for it to-day than there was for Kaslo a year ago. Lots purchased in the latter, last year, have been sold this summer at an advance of from two hundred to a thousand per cent.

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	Ar 5.58	Ar 12.24	—	VICTORIA	—		Dp 2.30	Dp 8.00 A.M
	" 5.51	" 12.30	4	ESQUIMALT	1		2.34	8.04
	" 5.44	" 12.10 P.M	7	GOLDSTREAM	4		2.44	8.14
	" 5.19	" 11.46 A.M	13	SUMMIT SIDING	11		3.19	8.39
	" 4.50	" 11.10	20	HAYWARD'S LDG	18		3.38	9.11
	" 4.24	" 10.56	24	SOPHIE'S SIDING	22		4.04	9.34
	" 4.09	" 10.40	27	MOUNTAIN	25		4.20	9.51
	" 3.49	" 10.17	30	KOKSILAH	28		4.39	10.07
	" 3.44	" 10.12	31	DUNCANS	29		4.44	10.12
	" 3.31	" 10.02	35	SOMENOS	33		4.54	10.22
	" 3.12	" 9.36	39	CHEMAINUS	37		5.16	10.43
	" 2.55	" 9.15	46	OYSTER BAY SIDING	44		5.33	11.00
	" 2.14	Dp 8.34	52	NANAIMO	50		6.14	Ar 11.40
	Dp 1.50 P.M	Ar 8.10 A.M	73	WELLINGTON	72		Ar 6.29	Dp 11.25 P.M

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Social Organizations Which Employ an Army of People to Attend to Their Various Wants—The Leading Clubs.

If the servants and employes of any one of the big clubs in this town were marched in dress parade the array would be a decidedly imposing one, and the size of the small army would surprise anybody who had not had occasion to become familiar with the workings of the larger New York clubs, says the New York World. The Manhattan Athletic club probably heads the list of local clubs—or American clubs, for that matter—in the number of people who wear its livery, or at least draw money from its treasury for attending to the wants of its members. More than two hundred men, women and boys are regularly employed in one capacity or another in the big Manhattan Athletic club house, and at times the attaches of the club house number as high as two hundred and fifty. This small army comprises door men, hall boys, waiters, bartenders, attendants at the rifle range, shooting gallery, baths and other departments, elevator boys, bookkeepers, accountants, engineers, firemen, chambermaids, cooks, washerwomen and scrubwomen.

Humble though some of these employes are, it costs money to secure their more or less professional services for the club, and the salary list is between fifteen hundred dollars and two thousand dollars a week.

The Manhattan club, which probably comes next in the length of its salary list, employs between one hundred and forty-five and one hundred and fifty, and pays them something over one thousand dollars a week for attending to the club house and the wants of the men who keep it a-going. The present Manhattan Athletic club house is comparatively a new thing, and naturally many, if not most, of its attaches are comparatively new-comers. But at the Manhattan club, which is one of the old club institutions of the town, many of the help have grown gray in the service. The venerable female housekeeper, for instance, has put in a couple of decades keeping things in order for the Manhattanites, and a dozen other employes have been with the club for a decade or more. There is one detachment of the Manhattan club's employes whose very existence is probably unknown to nine-tenths of the club's members. Every one of this detachment is of the feminine gender, and every one is likewise of the color of the ace of spades. The women in question are the housecleaners, and put in their appearance at the clubhouse about sunrise, make things lively for a couple of hours, and disappear before the earliest member of the club has shaken off the embrace of Morpheus.

The Union league also has a big staff of employes, as may be imagined from the fact that it spends nearly ten thousand dollars every year in providing them with livery. The New York Athletic is another club which does a large business inthe way of employes; likewise the Union club, the New York club, the Lawyers' club, and half a dozen other clubs on the same order. At most of these clubs employes of a dozen or more years' standing may still be seen, and, in fact at any of the first-class clubs it is the rule to retain the doormen, so long as they behave themselves, in order to have at least a couple of servants who are familiar with the faces of all the members. The University club, of course, has an immense retinue of servants, but, as the rule there seems to be to have a "shake-up" once a month or so, not more than half a dozen old-time attaches of the club are to be seen at the club house on Madison avenue nowadays.

At the really first-class clubs an endeavor is made to secure as servants only serving people who have had experience in private families or other first-class clubs, but at some of the clubs almost everybody who responds to the house committee's advertisement is taken on faith and given a chance to don the club livery. The Lawyers' club is a notable exception to clubs of the last named order, the attaches of that institution being particularly well trained and disciplined. Almost every one of them has seen service in the better class of New York families and every one of them thoroughly understands his place. There is rarely or never any complaint of incivility or lack of attention on the part of the servants of the Lawyers' club, and that fact, perhaps, as much as anything else, accounts for the extreme popularity of the club. Altogether probably eight thousand or ten thousand people find employment in the clubs of this city.

A Remarkable Throat.

There is a woman living in Vienna with a most remarkable throat. You can pass probes to all parts of both her throat and larynx without causing any spasms of the muscles, what in ordinary language is called gagging. You can place buttons in various parts of her larynx and remove them again and she will suffer no discomfort. Why this should be so nobody knows. The most eminent throat specialists in the world have examined her and found no reason for it. Her vocal cords are as nearly white as those found in a typically normal throat. She visits the various clinics of Vienna and rents her throat out for a gulden an hour to young doctors who wish to gain skill in manipulation.

A Wonderful Wreath.

Miss Hattie Chipps, of Budd's Lake, N. J., once made a wreath (which she still has in her possession) wholly of human hair. It comprises ten thousand locks from as many different heads, and is arranged in curious and beautiful designs, principally leaves, flowers, etc. She spent over a year in collecting the hair, which is of every shade and color, before the wreath itself was begun. It is a unique ornament, as well as a triumph of patience and ingenuity.

OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

To the Editor:—If you allow the undersigned a little space in your valuable paper I wish to say that I have no kick with "Parent No. 3." I claim I have a perfect right to draw comparisons between the Sound and Victoria schools, as I found them, and as every enlightened agitation allows, my kick was about our unhealthy sardine-box Ward schools and the enormous amount of compulsory home lessons. I consider the state of things was tersely and truthfully told by "Parent No. 1." I thought then, and I think now, "it hit the nail on the head." If Parent the Third read the able article under "Judicious Direction," in the Colonist of the 12th inst., he must allow that it drove the nail home. Then the nail got severely punched in by the earnest, live stump speeches during the late local campaign, and the Council of Public Instruction publishing what they intended to enforce; also by what the Aldermen and Trustees have pledged themselves to do instanter; and still another sign was the great procession of hundreds of sympathetic fathers and mothers voting that never voted before. Some of my most esteemed, though antiquated moss-back friends, declare they never heard of the school question being ventilated before. I, for one, am glad it has come to life, it is dollars and cents to "An American" to have healthy children. I don't understand that either I or our Christian friend, Parent the First, spoke of the High schools, nor yet blamed the teachers. If I catch Parent the First's meaning, he was simply inquiring or showing how the act, system or method was made of such pliable material, to be twisted around so as to suit the various teachers and throw all the real work on the youngsters, then to chastise them for not doing it when the time was their own or their parents. How the famous sixty millions get along with superior schools and this abolished forced-cramming night work in the lower grades, is easy to be seen without blowing. I think Parent the Third is on the wrong track. In conclusion, I would remark that I fail to see any particular courtesy in Parent the Third's epistle. Take for instance the sixth and seventh lines from the top and the last four lines, which is an invitation for "American" to leave. I think I would skedaddle if such ideas as he advocates were in vogue, but I claim I have as much right to remain in Victoria and agree and assist in its reforms as thousands of English, Canadians, Australians, etc., do over in *God's Country*, happy and glorious under the beautiful flag of the *star-fish and gridiron*. God bless the Queen, notwithstanding, Heaven forgive those that retard progress, and bully for the new graded schools that will soon be here.

An American.

To the Editor:—I have waited a few days to see if some more competent pen than mine would indite a reply to that most optimist eulogist of the School Teacher, "Parent No. 3." What an altogether too lovely family he must have! I can only hope they will not share the fate of the goody boy in the story books of our childhood, but live long and die happy just like poor ordinary children that don't fall into raptures about their teachers, and require just a little coaxing with an occasional application of something stronger. Seriously does this Parent know that little children of 8 years and less have been "Kept in" by a Ward school teacher in this city, until their mothers went to the school after them, till nearly 5 p. m., and for what, think you? to write 400 times "I must not drop my pencil." This went on until the School Law was threatened at this most loving and able teacher. Did this Parent ever hear of a teacher in the Central school who refused to receive an excuse from a parent, unless it was enclosed in a "square envelope." I am afraid if such a message had been sent to me, the teacher would receive a "square envelope" with a letter inside that would astonish their self conceit.

Parent No. 3 talks about a lady teacher. And pray who made this lady teacher in the High school or any other school a law unto herself? The said teacher and others should be made to understand that children are sent to school for the purpose of being fitted for the business of life, not for the glorification of any teacher, be they ever so thorough. It is the number of children that are grounded in the principles of their studies so as to apply them in their future greater education, outside of schools and colleges, by which the measure of success of a teacher is to be known—not by the amount of cramming that can be stuffed into a certain number to bring them up to some standard that this thorough teacher has chosen to set above the law. If the standard is such that the average pupil of average diligence fails to get through, it is too high, and if it requires more than the lawful number of school hours to reach that standard, it is too high. And any one teacher or otherwise, who attempts to overrule the law of the Legislature in this matter, ought to be given to understand that they are not (which a great many teachers seem to think) above the law, but servants.

After watching one pupil working at a house near from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., I asked to look at the object of study. I found it was on Anatomy, Physiology and Hygiene by Dr. Calvin Cutter. I would recommend Parent No. 3 to read, mark, learn Chap. XXIX, sec. 399 et sequitor: "Studies that require close application should be pursued in the morning. The evening should be devoted to entertaining conversation, music and light reading. This will fit the system of the student for quiet and refreshing sleep." "The organs of the child, besides sustaining their proper functions, are busy in promoting its growth." This last is a part of the nervous system's work that the average teacher either knows not or cares not. The "standard" is the mark they aim at. Thus we get educated prigs, who, in the majority of cases when they leave school, have no knowledge of principles and thus cannot apply what they have learned to the affairs of daily life.

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TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1892.

Spring Assizes.

(On Vancouver Island.)

Victoria.....Monday.....16th May
Nanaimo.....Tuesday.....7th June

(On Mainland)

New Westminster..Wednesday.....1st June
Kamloops.....Monday.....6th June
Clinton.....Monday.....13th June

Fall Assize.

(On Mainland.)

Richfield.....Monday.....12th Sept
Clinton.....Wednesday.....28th Sept
Kamloops.....Monday.....3rd Oct
Lytton.....Monday.....10th Oct
New Westminster...Wednesday.....9th Nov

(On Vancouver Island

Victoria.....Monday.....28th Nov
Nanaimo.....Tuesday.....6th Dec

NOTICE.

MORTGAGEES' SALE.

General Stock of Boots and Shoes for sale by Tender.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power of sale in that behalf contained in a certain Bill of Sale by way of Mortgage dated the 14th day of September, 1892, made by Messrs. Carmichael & Paterson in favor of the Ames Holden Company, Limited, and A. C. Flumerfelt for securing the sum of $6,021 35, the stock of boots and shoes in the premises known as 35 Johnson street, Victoria, where the business of boot and shoe dealers was formerly carried on by the said firm of Carmichael & Paterson will be sold en bloc by tender on the 23rd day of January, 1893, default having been made by the Mortgagors in the terms and provisions of the said Mortgage. Possession of the goods and chattels in the said premises having been heretofore taken by the Mortgagees under the said Mortgage

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Inspection may be had and all further particulars and information obtained upon application to the Mortgagees at

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the shareholders of the Victoria and Sidney Railway Company, in pursuance of the Victoria Sidney Railway Act, 1892, will be held at Company's office, at No. 28½ Broad street, on Friday, the 27th day of January, 1893, at the hour of 2.30 p. m., for the purpose (among others) of authorizing the Directors of the Company to issue bonds of the Company for $300,000 and authorizing the execution of a trust deed in connection therewith, and all other acts and things in the premises.

By order.

ROBERT IRVING,
jan8-td-d and wkly Secretary.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 67 Block H, Victoria West, in the City of Victoria.

A Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above lot will be issued to Thomas Allsop, on the 17th day of March, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
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A PROCLAMATION.

Theodore Davie, *Attorney-General.* } WHEREAS We are desirous and resolved, as soon as may be, to meet Our people of Our Province of British Columbia, and to have their advice in Our Legislature:

NOW KNOW YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to hereby convoke, and by these presents enjoin you, and each of you, that on Thursday, the Twenty-sixth day of the month of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, you meet Us in Our said Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, FOR THE DESPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do, act, and conclude upon these things which in Our Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, by the Common Council of Our said Province may, by the favor of God, be ordained.

In Testimony Whereof, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: Witness, the Honourable Edgar Dewdney, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Nineteenth day of December, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and in the fifty-sixth year of Our reign.

By Command.

JAMES BAKER,
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12.30 a.m.	Lv	39	.Pt. Madison.	47	Lv	2.10 p.m.
	Lv	45	.. Kingston ..	41	Lv	
3.00 a.m.	Lv	49	. Pt. Gamble.	21	Lv	11.00 a.m.
4.00 a.m.	Lv	77	.Pt. Ludlow.	13	Lv	10.00 a.m.
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TUESDAY, JANUARY 17, 1893.

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Per str. PRINCESS LOUISE fm Westminster—F Bodvin, W T Fulton, R Lawson, Thos Gray, W Dalby, Dr Duncan, John White, James Fry, H James, H Cuthbert, H M Tiffin, A Thomson, C A Deans, G Georgeson, S Hinchliffe, G Payne, James Ord, W Huson, W Cook, R McIvor.

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DIED.

DE WITT—In this city on the 16th instant, Harriet Amelia De Witt, a native of Quebec province, aged 53 years.

The funeral will take place from C. B. Lockhart's undertaking parlors, Broad street, on Wednesday, January 18, at 2 30 p. m.

PERSONAL.

John White has returned to town.

D. J. Munn, of Westminster, is in town.

S. Tingley, of Ashcroft, is a guest at the Driard.

J. H. Faraday, of San Francisco, is at the Driard.

R. H. Hall, M. P. P., is back from the Mainland.

John Kesley and bride, from Nanaimo, are in town.

H. Cuthbert came over from the Mainland last night.

A. B. Hardy came over from the Sound last evening.

C. W. Higgins and Col. Kane returned from Seattle yesterday.

Mme. Laird was among the Kingston's passengers to Victoria yesterday.

Gustav and Mrs. Leiser, Max and Miss Ella Leiser left for California last evening.

W. Dalby was a passenger by the steamer Louise last night, as was also Dr. A. Duncan.

Capt. Jones, of Vancouver, was down on Sunday, and returned to the Mainland by this morning's boat.

J. A. Fullerton and the other C.P.R. officials are down from Vancouver to meet the Empress of Japan, which is due this morning.

H. C. Davis and John C. Hill, of St. Paul; C. H. Davis and Arthur Young, of New York, formed a party of railway men who paid Victoria a flying visit yesterday.

The following guests are registered at the Victoria: Bert Coote and wife, Chicago; Milton Lipman, New York; Gerald Wekslet and wife, London, Eng., and H. W. Holden, Portland.

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"IS THE SOUL IMMORTAL?"

Interesting Conclusions Drawn From the Scriptures As Viewed From Different Standpoints.

Rev. Dr. Campbell's Sunday Evening Lecture—Service at Christadelphian Hall.

"Is it the body which is buried that shall rise from the dead?" was the subject of Sunday evening's lecture at the First Presbyterian church, and it drew a crowded house. Dr. Campbell briefly defined the views of the Sadducees at the time of Christ, and the Swedenborgians and other little sects of the present time, who deny the resurrection of the body, and clearly showed them to be contrary to the teaching of the Bible. He treated the subject in a practical and popular manner under three divisions: "1. Are the bodies to rise again?" "2. Are they to be the same bodies?" "3. Wherein consists the identity?"

The lecturer answered the first and second in the affirmative, and conclusively proved his position by the plain teaching of the Word of God. He showed that the Apostle Paul was willing to stake the truth of Christianity on the truth of the resurrection of Christ. To deny the resurrection of the dead was to deny the resurrection of Christ, and to deny the resurrection of Christ was to reject the Gospel.

The controversy, said the lecturer, was not between him and those who denied the resurrection of the body, but between them and the Apostle Paul, and his hearers could judge for themselves whether it was safer to believe the inspired writer of the Epistles to the Corinthians, or believe them; as for his own part he would rather believe what Paul said.

As to the "identity" of the present and future body it was involved in the very idea of a resurrection. This affirmation he strongly fortified by reason and Revelation. He showed that identity does not depend on the continuity of the same substance. The oak tree and the green leaf that sprang from the acorn are the same, and yet there is not a particle of the latter in the former. The man and the babe are the same, yet there is not a particle of the substance of the babe in the man. So it is not necessary that a particle of the present body be in the resurrection body, and yet the resurrection body and the present body be identical. He exposed to ridicule those who thought they disposed forever of the doctrine of the resurrection of the body by propounding such absurd questions as "A man dies and moulders to dust, this is taken up by a plant, the plant is eaten by a deer, the deer by a wolf, and the wolf by a lion, shall that body rise at the resurrection?" He showed that those cavilers were in their attack on the teachings of the Bible as insignificant as mice nibbling at the Rock of Gibraltar.

The subject considered at the Christadelphian Hall Sunday evening, was "Is the Soul Immortal?" The subject was considered from a Bible standpoint; the speaker holding that that was the evidence the Christian should consider all important—that which the heathen believed and taught was no evidence as to what was truth. After setting forth the several theories concerning the nature of man common in Christendom, the speaker turned his attention to the Bible for a solution of the question.

He stated, without fear of contradiction, that the phrases so often used by teachers of religion, "Never dying soul," "Immortal soul," etc., are forms of speech which are not to be met with from Genesis to Revelation. Anyone may quickly satisfy himself on this point by reference to a concordance if he be unacquainted with the Scriptures. How are we to explain this fact? If the immortality of the soul is to be believed without sanction from revelation on the mere assumption that it is self-evident, may we not uphold any doctrine for which we have a prepossession? A more rational course to pursue is surely to suspect a doctrine not divinely inculcated.

Some, however, may not be satisfied that the doctrine of the immortality of the soul is not definitely broached in the sacred writings. Recalling to mind the constant use of the word "soul," for the benefit of such, it will be well to look at the use made of the word in the Scriptures in order to see its meaning. First, let it be remembered that in its original derivation the word "soul" simply means a breathing creature, without any reference to its constitution or duration of existence. This fact is illustrated in the renderings adopted by the translators in the first few chapters of Genesis. As applied to Adam, it is translated soul (Genesis ii, 7); as applied to beasts, birds, reptiles, it is rendered "creature" and "thing" (Gen. i, 20, 21, 24, 28, 30; see margin).

It is also given to represent mind, disposition, life, etc., and that which it describes is spoken of as capable of hunger (Prov. xix., 15), of being satisfied with food (Lam. i., 11-19), of touching a material object (Lev. v., 2), of going into the grave (Job xxxiii., 22-28), of coming out of it (Psalm xxx., 3), of swearing with his lips (Lev. v., 4), etc. It is never spoken of as an immaterial, immortal, thinking entity. The original word occurs in the Old Testament about 700 times, and in the New Testament 180 times; it is rendered "persons" 31 times, "living or life" 190 times, "beasts and creeping things" 28 times. In no instance has it the significance claimed for it by professing Christians of modern times. It is never said to be immortal. It is not only represented as capable of death, but naturally liable to it. We find David declaring: "None can keep alive his own soul." And again: "What man is he that liveth and shall not see death? Shall he deliver his soul from the hand of the grave?" Finally, Ezekiel declares (chapter xviii., 4) "the soul that sinneth it shall die."

Job asks the question, "If a man die shall he live again?" (Job xiv, 14); Jesus furnishes the answer, "I am the resurrection and the life," also, "And this is the will of him that sent me that everyone which seeth the Son and believeth on him may have everlasting life, and I will raise him up at the last day." (John vi, 40.) The speaker cautioned his hearers to beware of those who "speak not according to the oracles of God," "to the law and the testimony. if they speak not according to this word, it is because there is not light in them." —(Isaiah viii, 20.)

BEHRING SEA CASE.

What the Americans Are Doing—The Arbitrators Will Meet February 23.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Secretary J. W. G. Foster, ex-Minister Phelps and Senator Morgan had a conference with President Harrison at the White House this morning, in regard to the Behring Sea case. Secretary Foster is agent, Mr. Phelps the leading counsel, and Senator Morgan is one of the first orators on the part of the United States. The arbitrators are to meet in Paris, February 23, and it is nearly time for the submission of the counter case by Great Britain and the United States. Justice Harlan, the other American arbitrator, and Mr. Williams of the counsel are already in Paris. The others connected with the case will leave here for Paris in the course of a few weeks. Secretary Foster will probably be the last to go, as he has arranged to retain his present position in the State Department until February 5. The counter cases are required to be submitted by February 3, twenty days before the meeting of the board in Paris. By the terms of the treaty a printed argument on the cases and counter-cases prepared by the two Governments was to have been furnished the arbitrators when they met, but recognizing the practical impossibility of preparing this within the time elapsing between the presentation of the counter-cases and the meeting of the board, it has been agreed by the two Governments that the arbitrators, after their meeting and organization of February 23, shall adjourn for one month to March 23, at which time the printed arguments are to be ready. Besides these arguments, it is understood that the arbitrators will ask for additional oral argument by counsel. A decision by the arbitrators is required by the treaty within three months of the close of the argument and presentation of the evidence.

BLAINE'S RECORD.

His Life Summarized In a Few Paragraphs—From the Cradle to His Sick Bed.

1830—James G. Blaine was born in West Brownsville, Washington county, Pa., January 31.

1847—Graduated from Washington College, in his native county, with honors.

1852—Instructor in literature and science in the Pennsylvania Institution for the Blind in Philadelphia.

1854—Removed to Augusta, Me., and became editor and half proprietor of the Kennebec Journal.

1856—Elected a delegate to the first Republican National Convention, which nominated General Fremont for the Presidency.

1858—Elected to the State Legislature, serving four successive terms in that body, two of which as its speaker.

1862—Elected to Congress, where in one branch or the other he served for eighteen years.

1865—Began to take a prominent part in the work of reconstructing the Confederate States.

1867—Opposed that section of the Reconstruction bill placing the South under military government, and was finally successful in defeating the obnoxious clause. He also delivered a powerful speech against the doctrine of paying off the public debt in greenbacks.

1869—Chosen Speaker of the House of Representatives, and was re-elected Speaker by the next two Congresses.

1874—The Democrats having gained control of the House, Mr. Blaine became the leader of the minority.

1876—The most prominent candidate for the Presidential nomination. On June 11, the Sunday before the convention, was prostrated by the heat when entering his church. At the convention he only lacked 28 votes of a majority necessary to nominate him, but was defeated by the consolidation of his opponents. Was appointed to the United States Senate to fill unexpired term caused by resignation of Senator Morrill.

1878—Advocated the establishment of a steamship line to Brazil and urged a subsidy to be given to insure its success.

1880—Again a prominent candidate for the Presidential nomination. When Garfield was elected he was offered and accepted the State portfolio.

1881—Retired from the Cabinet December 19, after inaugurating several measures which were calculated to accrue to the benefit of the United States.

1882—Began to write his historical work, entitled, "Twenty Years of Congress," on which he labored four years.

1884—Nominated for the Presidency, but was defeated at the polls and retired to his home in Augusta and continued writing his book.

1886—Took an active part in the Maine campaign, delivering a series of speeches upon the fisheries question.

1888—Went to Europe in poor health and had an attack of illness while in Florence. Sent two letters from Europe saying he would not be a candidate under any circumstances. He returned in the autumn and delivered several speeches in favor of Gen. Harrison's candidacy.

1889—Appointed Secretary of State and began to interest himself immediately in the Behring Sea and fisheries question with Great Britain and other international affairs.

1890—Formulated his reciprocity ideas, which were incorporated in the Tariff Act this year, and which led to commercial treaties with several countries.

1892—Resigned as Secretary of State in June and spent the summer at Bar Harbor. In October he made a speech at Ophir Farm on his way to Washington, where he has since remained.

SEATTLE VISITORS.

They Are Here to Take In the Poultry Show at the Market Hall To-Day.

Prospects of a Good Attendance and First-Class Attractions For the Public.

Mr. Thomas Black, Superintendent for the B. C. Poultry, Dog and Pet Stock Exhibition, returned on the City of Kingston yesterday from Seattle, where he has been attending the Bench Show. The result of his work across the Sound has been to ensure a good crowd of American visitors and some first-class exhibits also have been promised, a number of them being already here. The Seattleites are taking a great interest in the success of the exhibition.

Among the poultry and dog fanciers who came over last evening on the Kingston were F. W. Hitchcock, judge of the poultry department; Oscar Jones, judge of the kennel department; W. H. Pilling, J. H. Rengstorff and wife, F. T. Palmer and Randolph R. Freeman. Mr. Freeman is associate editor of Freeman's National Farmer and Turfman, a Seattle weekly, and is here to represent his journal at the show. The Farmer keeps track of all such events, as the representative farm and live stock authority of the New Northwest.

A number of the exhibits were placed in position at the Market Hall yesterday and last night there was a very Babel of noise—the unknown language of expectation, jubilation, and consternation of the array of birds and dogs of all kinds, varieties, colors, and breeds. All the exhibits, both feathered and otherwise, are in good hands and will be well taken care of until the exhibition is over.

His Honor the Lieut.-Governor has kindly promised to open the show to-day at 3 o'clock, when he will make the formal declaration. There will doubtless be a large attendance there then, but the day will be principally devoted to judging, and on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday will be the big turnouts. The weather promises to be fine—a very important consideration. The entries, which take up every inch of the space available, are in every respect an improvement upon last year's show. Numerically the exhibits are 50 per cent. stronger, while some rare birds and beasts are shown. There were 550 feathered pets and 150 dogs entered last evening, when the secretary was forced to decline entries, the accommodation being exhausted. Among the rare poultry specimens are a number of Buff Leghorns, the first brought to British Columbia, also a number of fine pheasants. The St. Bernards and Collies will be conspicuous among the dogs.

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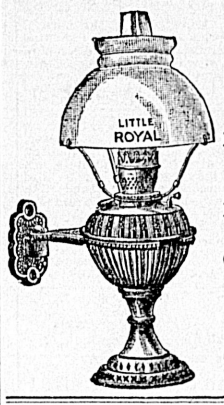
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